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AN INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE.

Our readers, says the Memphis *Eagle*, will remember a circular published in our columns, from Mr. James A. Jones, a candidate for Congress in Arkansas, in opposition to Mr. Rust. Jones was defeated by some six or seven thousand majority; and upon ascertaining the result, came out in his paper, the *Ouachita Herald*, as follows:

DEFEATED, OR UP SALT RIVER.

"We cave."—*Muggins.*

"Not in vain should such examples be."—*Byron.*

WE—that is to say, James A. Jones, editor of the *Ouachita Herald*, and late Candidate for congress—are ingloriously defeated. To use a classical, and entirely original expression, "we have met the enemy and we are theirs." We evidently cast our pearls before swine. We magnanimously, and at a considerable sacrifice of our habitual self-respect, offered to serve a people who had no appreciation of the offering. We did'nt make the people, and are not under contract to supply them with brains. If they were wilfully blind to our merit, the fault is theirs. If they are opposed to receiving individually a hundred and sixty acres of land a piece, they have a right to reject it—they know whether or not they deserve it. If they don't want the rights of the South "*preserved* inviolate," why, they may have them *pickled* for all we care. We did our duty, and our conscience is easy. At the enormous expense of sixteen dollars and thirty-two cents we printed a multitude of circulars—sufficient to elect any man, with which we flooded this Congressional District, and a large portion of the Cherokee Nation. We wrote to our friends and to some who were not our friends to rally to our support. But they did't rally. We then concealed ourself as well as we could at home, refusing positively to extend our acquaintance, or to see more of the public than the public did of us. With these precautions we deemed success certain. A great many persons wrote to us that we should get an overwhelming vote—they were not deceived, it was overwhelming. Many credulous persons told us that we should be elected; we listened to them and were deceived. But we forgive them, for they made us feel very comfortable—for a while; and all earthly happiness is transitory. We shall never become a candidate again without consulting some body on the subject first, and ascertain whether they do or not desire us to run; for we are satisfied that it is folly to be a candidate unless *somebody* does want you to run, and will vote for you on the strength of that desire.

We are not without consolation. We are not the only candidate that was defeated. There are numbers in as bad a fix as ourselves. And besides, greater men than we claim to be have been as badly beaten. Gen. Harrison, afterwards President of the United States, was once defeated for County Clerk in Ohio, and James K. Polk was beaten for Governor of Tennessee. We are in good company, and shall, therefore, not complain.

There is one thing for which the people should be grateful to us. We did not bore them with long and tiresome speeches as some of the aspirants did. We remained "quietly at home," and they so highly appreciated our modesty that they have given us the privilege of continuing to do so. We are thankful for small favors.

Among our numerous friends, ex-Governor Drew is entitled to our warmest acknowledgments. His intention, doubtless, was to assist us in beating Rust, by procuring a large and influential majority of the Democratic party to vote for him. With this object in view, he made a brilliant canvass, ending in a no less brilliant failure. But, notwithstanding he carried off a considerable portion of our vote, we honor him for his laudable intentions. Hereafter he has but to command us and we will obey—if its suits us to do so.

To the FIFTEEN patriotic and chivalrous voters who cast their suffrage for us in Pike county, we beg leave to tender our sincere and unfeigned gratitude. We owe them a debt that will be difficult to repay. As a slight evidence of our high appreciation and lasting regard, we propose that if they will forward us a list of their names, we will send them the *Herald* for life—at the usual price, $3 00 per annum *invariably* in advance.

In conclusion, we desire permission to remark, that the small experiment we have just made is eminently satisfactory. Whatever aspirations we may have had for glory are entirely subdued. The pursuit of a seat in Congress "under difficulties" is one in which we have no desire to engage. We are satisfied that we carry with us into retirement the best wishes of a generous though ungrateful people, and are content.

From the Knickerbocker for November.

THE CABLE CELEBRATION.

"Mr. Artemas Ward, Esq.," the great show man, as we gather from a Cleveland (Ohio) correspondent, has turned his attention to letter-writing for the public press: and his latest effort of this kind is a description of a Cable Celebration in Little Peddlington, or a place which will exactly answer its description, we dare say, in Indiana, hight 'Baldinsville.' We correct Mr. Ward's orthography somewhat in the extract which we make from his epistle, but even as it is, it is remarkable enough, in all conscience. The broad burlesque upon small public celebrations of great events and of patriotic public advertising, is very rich. Locking up his kangaroo and his wax works, he repairs to the scene of celebration.

"Baldinsville was trooly in a blaze of glory. Near can i forgit the sublime speckticul which met my gase as i alited from the Staige with my umbreller and verlise. The Tarvern was lit up with taller kandles all over, & a grate bong-fire was burnin in frunt thareof. A Transparancy was tied onto the sine-post with the follerin wurds: 'Giv us Liberty or Deth.' Old Tomkinsis grosery was illumernated with 5 tin lanturns & the follerin Transparancy was in the winder: 'The Sub-Mershine Tellergraph & the Baldinsville and Stonefield Plank-road—the 2 grate eventz of the 19th century: may intestines strife never mar their grandjure.' Simkinsis shoe shop was all ablas with kandles and lanturns. A American Eagle was painted onto a flag in a winder, also these wurds: 'The Constitooshun must be Preserved.' The Skool house was lited up in grate stile, and the winders was filled with mottoes, amung which i notised the follerin: 'Trooth smashed to erth shall rise agin: you can't stop her.' 'The Boy stood on the Burnin Deck whense awl but him had Fled.' 'Prokrastinashun is the theaf of Time.' 'Be virtoous & you will be Happy.' 'Intemperunse has cawsed a heap of trubble: shun the Bole:' and the follering sentimunt written by the skool-master, who graduated at Hudson Kollige:

'Baldinsville sends greetin to Her Magisty the Queen, & hopes all hard feelins which has heretofore previous bin felt between the Supervizers of Baldinsville and the British Parlimunt, if such there has been, may now be forever wiped from our Escutchuns. Baldinsville this night rejoises over the gellorious event which sementz 2 grate nashuns onto one anuther by means of a electkric wire under the roarin billers of the Nasty Deep. *Quosque tantrum, a butter, Caterling, patient nostrum!*' 'Squire Smith's house was lited up regardlis of expence. His little sun William Henry stood upon the roof firin off crackers. The old 'Squire hisself was dressed up in soljer clothes and stood on his door-step wigglin' his sword, and p'intin' it sollumly to a American flag which was suspendid on top of a pole in front of his house. Frequiently he wood take off his cocked hat & wave it round in a impressive stile. His oldest darter Miss Isabeller Smith, who had jest cum home from the Perkinsville Female Institoot, appeared at the frunt winder in the West room as the goddis of Liberty, & sung 'I see them on their windin' way.' 'Booteus 1!' sed I to myself, 'your air a angin & nothin shorter!'

N. Bonaparte Smith, the 'Squire's oldest son, drest himself up as Venus the God of Wars, and red the Decleration of Independense from the left chamber winder. The 'Squire's wife didn't jine in the festiverties. She sed it was the tarnalest nonsense she ever see. Sez she to the 'Squire, 'Cum into the house and go to bed, you old fool you Tomorrer you'll be goin' round half-ded with the rumatism & won't giv us a minit's peace till you well.' Sez the 'Squire, 'Betsy, you little appreciate the importance of the event which I this night commemerate.' Sez she, 'Commemerate a cat's tail!—cum into the house this instant, you old dolt, yew!' 'Betsy,' sez the 'Squire, wavin' his sword, 'retire!' Doctor Hutchinsis offis was lited up, & a Transparancy, on which was painted the Queen in the act of drinkin sum of 'Hutchinsis Invigorator,' was stuck into one of the winders. The Baldinsville Bugle of Liberty newspaper offis was also illumenated, and the follering mottoes stuck out: 'The Press is the Arkermejian lever which moves the world.' 'Vote Early.' 'Buckle on your Armer.' 'Now is the time to subscribe.' 'Franklin, Morse and Field.' 'Terms $1.50 a year: liberal reduckshuns to clubs.' In short, the villige of Baldinsville was in a perfeck fewroar.'

Wills.—Hardly a newspaper comes to us now-a-days that does not contain an account of some important will case. It is getting quite rare for a will that disposes of a large estate to be quietly approved, and the property distributed without litigation. To a great extent we know this must always be the case where a large estate is depending. The disappointed do not easily surrender long cherished expectations. No matter with what care the testator may consult and employ the best legal talent, the chances are more than even that his estate will be in the law. We have seen it stated, and believe it to be a fact, that a London conveyancer, eminent in his profession, after accumulating an immense fortune, drew his own will and it was ultimately broken.

Three different views are already taken under the will of the late Thomas Lloyd Halsey, of Providence, as to where the real estate shall go. Choate, Curtis, Payne, Hart, Jenckes, Curry, and Wood we observe as lawyers already in the case to urge the different constructions. The large residuary estate of the late James D'Wolf, now divisible by the expiration of the twenty years named in the will, is before the Supreme Court upon a bill of the trustee for instructions as to the distribution. Curtis, R. W. Greene, Jenckes, Payne, and Hart are lawyers already in the case to assist the court in finding out the meaning of what the testator undoubtedly thought he had made very plain. The happy or the unhappy possessors of large estates can avoid a part of the evil by overseeing a part of the distribution in their own lifetime.—*Providence Journal.*

[We are curious to know whether Mr. DeWolf made any provision in the above contested will for the payment to the South or to the "poor Africans" of any portion of the immense fortune which he made out of the *slave trade?* We would suggest to the Counsel to try and find out whether that was not the meaning of the testator.]—OBS.

Morbid Friendship.—An Indiana paper refuses to publish eulogies gratis, but adds: "We will publish the simple announcement of the death of any of our friends with pleasure."

SMALL THINGS.

A traveller through a dusty road
Strewed acorns on the lea,
And one took root, and sprouted up,
And grew into a tree.

Love sought its shade at evening time,
To breathe its early vows,
And age was pleased in heats of noon
To bask beneath its boughs.

The dormouse loves its dangling twig,
The birds sweet music bore;
It stood a glory in its place,
A blessing evermore.

A little spring had lost its way
Amid the grass and fern;
A passing stranger scooped a well
Where weary men might turn.

He walled it round, and hung with care
A ladle at the brink;
He thought not of the deed he did,
But judged that toil might drink.

He passed again and lo! the well,
By summers never dried,
Had cooled ten thousand parching tongues
And saved a life beside.

A dreamer dropped a random thought,
'Twas old, and yet 'twas new;
A simple fancy of the brain,
But strong in being true.

It shone upon a genial mind,
And lo! its light became
A lamp of life, a beacon ray,
A monitory name.

The thought was small, its issues great,
A watch fire on a hill;
It sheds its radiance far adown,
And cheers the valley still.

A nameless man amid a crowd
That thronged the daily mart
Let fall a word of hope and love
Unstudied fram the heart.

A whisper on the tumult thrown,
A transitory breath,
It raised a brother from the dust,
It saved a soul from death.

Oh, germ! oh, fount! oh, word of love!
Oh, thought at random cast!
Ye were but little at the first,
But mighty at the last.

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THURSDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 4, 1858.

THE FAIR.

The 5th Annual Fair of the Cumberland County Agricultural Society opened yesterday under the most flattering auspices—with beautiful weather, and a greater manifestation of interest and zeal by members and the public, than on any previous occasion. The number of entries made up to 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon was 539, against about 400 to the same time last year.

There is a large crowd in town to-day—107 arrivals at the Fayetteville Hotel up to 8 o'clock last evening; and the other Hotels are well filled.

In the hasty glance around, we made a note of some of the articles on exhibition. Besides the endless variety which adorns Floral Hall, and the department of Food, Condiments, &c., we noticed the following:

A Morgan Stallion, Touchstone, by E. L. Faison, Sampson county.
Colt, 18 months, by Neill McNeill, Cumberland.
Bay Stallion, Champion, by Jas. McIntyre, Fay.
Harness Horse, Roanoke, and a 3 year old Filly, by E. L. Faison, Sampson.
Filly, 2½ years, by Master E. L. Winslow, Fay.
Saddle Nag, by N. A. Ramsay, Pittsborough.
Trotter and Pacer, by J. P. McLean, Cumberland.
Colt, 2½ years, by Wm. H. Haigh, Fayetteville.
Jack, 5 years old, by Jona. Evans, Sr., Cumbl'd.
2 Brood Mares, and Mule Colt, by Jona. Evans, Jr., Cumberland.
Pacing Horse, by Dr. A. King.
Harness Horse, by Dr. Benbow, Fayetteville.
Filly, Wiley Nunnery, Cumberland.
Mare and Colt, Dr. G. C. Newby, Chatham.
2 Jennets, Joel Williams, Cumberland.

CATTLE, exhibited by Dr. Newby of Chatham, E. L. Faison and M. J. Faison of Sampson, E. W. Barge and J. A. Worth of Fayetteville, and Joel Williams of Cumberland.

SHEEP, exhibited by J. W. Strange of Cumberland, (South Down,) and Hugh McLean of Harnett, (Cotswold.)

HOGS, exhibited by R. McDaniel and J. Marshall Williams, of Cumberland, and J. G. Cook, H. Newell, and T. B. Cowan, of Fayetteville.

FOWLS, exhibited by Hugh McLean of Harnett, J. W. Carroll and Theophilus Evans of Cumberland, and J. M. Williams, T. B. Cowan, Mrs. Gen. Winslow, Mrs. Dr. Foulkes, Master Jas. Wemyss, Master George Lumsden, Mrs. E. C. Hall, D. McDuffie, Master A. A. McKethan, Master G. W. Woodward, Mrs. G. W. I. Goldston and J. A. Worth, of Fayetteville.

APPLES, several varieties by Hugh McLean of Harnett.
BUGGY, by A. A. McKethan of Fayetteville.
SEWING MACHINES, by do. do.
BRICK, by Jas. McIntyre, do.
CORN, several varieties, by Jas. W. Strange of Cumberland, and A. J. Troy of Columbus. Corn and Winter Oates by P. M. Powell of Richmond County.
TOBACCO, by G. W. I. Goldston, Worth & Utley, and McLenahan, Taylor & Co.
POTATOES, by D. Anderson, A. J. Woodward, D. McRae, and others.
PAPER, printing and wrapping, by David Murphy, of Cumberland.
SADDLES, by G. W. I. Goldston.
Sugar Cane Crusher, Straw Cutter, and Corn Sheller, by Snow Camp Co. Alamance county.
Young America Corn Cob Crusher, by D. & W. McLaurin.
Accommodating Plough, B. R. Hood, Clinton.
Small Steam Engines, made by A. F. Beckerdite and Capt. B. Rush, Fayetteville.
Japan Peas, by J. A. Worth, Fayetteville.
Buckets, by G. H. Makepeace, do.
Various articles of Furniture by J. W. Baker, do
Bedsteads, by Ira Hussey, do.
60 cans Peaches, by Hugh McLean, Harnett.
Turpentine Hacker, &c., by L. Wood, Fay.

PAINTINGS, &c.—Natural Leaves and Flowers wrought as Paintings, by Miss Lydia Salmon, Statesville.
Paintings by Miss Laura Saunders and Miss Ella Pearce of the Fayetteville Female Seminary.

PROCLAMATION AGAINST FILLIBUSTERS.—The President of the United States has issued a Proclamation calling on all good citizens to desist from pursuing unlawful schemes, which he has received information are on foot, against the territory of Nicaragua; and requiring all officers of the United States to be vigilant in their efforts to suppress such expeditions. The Proclamation is specially directed against Walker's proposed "emigrant" expedition, to raise money for which, bonds have been issued pledging the public lands of Nicaragua for their redemption.

THE U. S. SENATORS.—The signs which come under our observation induce us to believe (and some intelligent Democrats concur in the belief) that Messrs. Reid and Holden are at present most likely to be elected U. S. Senators by the ensuing Legislature, which, by the way, will meet on next Monday week, the 15th inst.

We hope no one will understand us as preferring this selection. It is simply our belief. We think the party might send more talented and influential men, such as Judge Ruffin, and others whom we could name. And, little regard as we have for Mr. Clingman, we think the State will lose by setting him aside in favor of either of those above named. He has had great experience, and has considerable reputation for talents.

Yesterday's Standard makes a strong appeal for harmony and for king caucus. "Let us, (says the Standard,) in the first place, so far as legislation is concerned, determine to consult the wishes and the wants of the people, and *do right*, heedless of all clamor, yet not disregarding consequences, but providing for them. So far as our action as a party is concerned in filling public offices, let us determine in the first place to be harmonious; in the second place, to regard merit and faithful services more than local or sectional considerations, and indeed more than any thing else; and thirdly, let us unite in caucus, and adhere with an iron will to caucus action and party organization. Is there a Democrat in the State who will gain-say this? We think not."

POLITICS AND RAILROADS AT RALEIGH.—We learn through our exchange papers and otherwise, some interesting particulars of recent occurrences at Raleigh.

In the first place, Mr. Holden, the Editor of the Standard, has resigned his seat as a Member of the Literary Board, because of the unfriendly relations which exist between himself and the Governor, and other high dignitaries. Mr. Holden has held that honorable and somewhat lucrative sinecure for several years, having been first appointed by Gov. Reid, if we mistake not. The Board is composed of the Governor as President, and three members.

Next we have Gov. Bragg playing the President Buchanan and Glancy Jones game, in the matter of the Presidency of the Raleigh and Gaston Road. The late President, Dr. W. J. Hawkins, of Franklin, had somehow become objectionable to the individual stockholders, who own just one-half of the stock, and they left him out of the Board of Directors, and put in Dr. Crudup of Franklin, with the intention that he should be President, as he had once before been. This seems to have taken the Governor by surprise, and he had to postpone till the next day the appointment of three Directors on the part of the State. The result of the delay was, that Dr. Hawkins, who had been rejected by the individual stockholders, was appointed by the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Board of Internal Improvements.

The Governor appointed Gaston H. Wilder of Wake, C. H. K. Taylor of Granville, (another defeated candidate before the individual stockholders,) and Dr. W. J. Hawkins, (all Democrats.) After having thus set his own opinion against that of the large and intelligent body of individual stockholders, who in managing *their own* property are careful to select the most competent agents, the Governor's appointee went into the Board of Directors as a candidate for re-election to the Presidency.

In a Board of seven members it required four to elect, and Mr. Crudup would not vote for himself, though his friends urged him to do so, since he was chosen Director expressly with that view. The Governor's Directors voted against him of course. Finally a compromise was effected on Maj. Wilder, who was elected President.

THE NEW RIFLES.—The North-Western Indians seem to have been as much astonished at the execution done by the new Sharp's rifle and Minie ball as the earlier savages were at the explosion of gun powder and the killing an object at fifty yards. In the late battles with the Spokan and Peluse Indians in Washington Territory, Col. Wright's command used the new rifle, and they picked off the Indians at 400 and 500 yards distance. The result was, that 47 Indians were killed or wounded, without a single man on our side being hurt. The Indians after that wouldn't let a white man approach within half a mile of them.

The case was very different when the same Indians gave Col. Steptoe's command so disastrous a reverse, a year or two ago. The latter had the old cavalry carbine, which somebody has said was never known to kill an enemy, whatever damage their recoil was in the habit of inflicting on the unlucky troops who had to fire them.

The astonishment and the defeat together are supposed to have secured peace with those troublesome tribes. The new guns have therefore well paid for their cost.

And by the way, their effect in this case reminds us of a remark we once heard an officer of the army make, that if he should succeed in his experiments so as to make a new and more destructive fire arm, he would deserve to be made President of the Peace Society. We did not altogether admit the force of the claim then, nor do we yet, notwithstanding the fact that the destruction of life in wars was much greater in ancient times, when the implements of war were rude, than in modern times with their greater capacity for destruction. We cannot think, however, that any modern Samson would be likely to slay his thousands in these days with the implement which the strong man of antiquity used so effectually.

LONG SPEECHES.—A will case, involving $30,000, has engaged the attention of the Supreme Court of New Jersey during the whole of its late Term. There were four eminent lawyers employed, each of whom spoke from six to eight hours—about thirty hours in all. How much, or rather how little, of the $30,000 will remain after paying for such long-winded speeches, the public can perhaps guess.

Another specimen, in a different line, is furnished by Gen. Jas. Ashley, who has just been elected to Congress from Ohio, who says,—

"I have labored as I never labored before in my life—although I am known as a worker. Entering the contest in a district comprising ten counties, the largest in the State—and with a majority of three hundred against us, I have successfully concluded a canvass which I believe unequalled in point of labor in this or any other State, making as I have inside of *sixty* working days, *ninety-nine* speeches, averaging in length *two and a half hours each*, and traveling in buggies, on horse back, and on foot, *over fourteen hundred miles*, to say nothing of trips by railroad.

That is, two hundred and forty-seven and a half hours of "gab" in less than sixty days! What a bore the fellow will be when he gets to Congress! We will wager that he isn't half so worthy of a seat there as the humorous editor out West who tells how he became a candidate, how he did *not* travel and did *not* make speeches, and was *not* elected. See his story in another column.

Cheap Corn.—Corn is selling at 15 cents per bushel in Iowa.

THE YAUPON TEA.—It is a singular coincidence that on yesterday we received from two different and distant sources, interesting accounts of the Yaupon tree of Eastern North Carolina, both identifying it with the *Ilex Paraguayensis*, or *Mate* plant of Brazil, a plant of great commercial value there, but which has been suffered, like too many other valuable things, to "waste its sweetness on the desert air" in North Carolina.

In the morning of yesterday the Raleigh Standard brought a very well written article from H. E. C. (Henry E. Colton) of Asheborough, who, noticing a statement that "one object of the Paraguay expedition is to introduce into the country the *Mate* or Paraguay Tea, in other words the prepared leaf of the *Ilex Paraguensis*," proceeds to show, as he does most conclusively, that it is identical with the *Yopon* of our State.

In the afternoon of yesterday we received the 2d volume of Dr. Hawks's History of North Carolina, where, in the chapter on "Ariculture and Industrial Arts," pages 219–20–21, is the same evidence, which, however, Dr. Hawks found in a valuable work, recently published, entitled, "Brazil and the Brazilians," by the Rev. Dr. Kidder and the Rev. Mr. Fletcher. Mr. Colton obtained most of his facts from the Journal of Commerce, of 1856, to which paper it was evidently furnished by one of the authors of "Brazil and the Brazilians."

Dr. Hawks was perfectly familiar with the plant and the tea during his early life in the Eastern part of the State; and Mr. Colton became so during his residence at Edenton a few years ago, and both are aware of the high estimation in which the Yaupon, as Lawson called it, or Yopon, as it is now called, is held. Mr. Colton heard of a good old lady who said that it had kept her out of heaven for twenty-five years. He has himself known remarkable cases of its beneficial effects. It calms the restless and excites the torpid. It possesses almost miraculous powers as are invigorant of the wasted system. Many captains of vessels on our coast prefer a supply of it to coffee, as they say their men are with it able to endure more fatigue and accomplish more labor.

Mr. Colton concludes his interesting communication as follows:—

"It grows wild upon our eastern coast, but when cultivated and trimmed, makes a beautiful tree. I have been told that there are several trees in this [Randolph] county, but have never seen them. A gentleman not long since informed me that it was grown in New Orleans as a hedge tree. Quantities of it are sold throughout the eastern part of this State and Virginia. It retails in the markets of Edenton, Elizabeth City and Plymouth at from 50 to 75 cents per bushel. This, however, is the roughly prepared stuff. I have no doubt should some pains be taken to prepare it and bring it before the public, it might be made a valuable article of commerce. And, now, with these facte in the light, it seems to me to be a useless business for the United States to begin to import that of which she has a sufficiency to export.

"The writer in the Journal of Commerce closes his article as follows: "I hope that this little communication may come under the eye of some North Carolina gentleman, who has a turn for such matters, and will give an examination of the bearing *Ilex*, which is found in his State, and which has so long furnished a beverage to some of the eastern people." Without being anything of a botanist, but ever having the interest of his State at heart, your humble correspondent took upon himself this task, and in the fall of 1856, on returning from the East, brought with him to the State Fair, a package for exhibition, and also a package for each of the editorial fraternity of the city of Raleigh, intending to accompany it with a communication to the State Agricultural Society, giving all the information within his reach concerning it. But amidst the confusion at the depot, the article of baggage containing the communication was lost as were also the packages of Yopon. Since that time the press of other engagements has prevented my attention being called to it until seeing your announcement concerning the "New Tea," I concluded to make known to you, and I doubt not to many others, that the Government was about to import that which has for years existed in the benighted borders of poor old Rip Van Winkle."

The Hon. John M. Patton, formerly a member of Congress from Virginia, and as a Lawyer standing at the head of the bar in that State, died at Richmond on Friday night last.

LOOK AT HOME.—The Richmond Whig considers the English nation as the most unpopular in the world, and among the causes of unpopularity says "they are the greatest boasters of whom we have any account." The Whig should have appended the usual remark, "present company always excepted." If any nation on earth can beat Brother Jonathan at boasting, and if any of Jonathan's children can beat "Old Virginny," we are mistaken.

NEW HANOVER COURT.—Lucy Ann, the slave tried for the murder of Mrs. Taylor, was acquitted.

Simmons, convicted of murder, has appealed to the Supreme Court.

COMMERCIAL BANK OF WILMINGTON.—At the annual meeting of the stockholders, on Monday last, the former Directors were re-elected, as follows: O. G. Parsley, B. Flanner, E. Kidder, A. J. DeRosset, Jr., N. N. Nixon, Jno. D. Bellamy, Joshua G. Wright, Z. Latimer and Geo. Harriss.

COTTON RECEIPTS.—The rushing of cotton into market has not ceased in consequence of the late fall of a cent or more. On the contrary, the total now is 555,398 bales, against 247,757 last year. Increase 307,641 bales. At Charleston the receipts are 98,740 against 24,042 last year—more than four to one, notwithstanding the yellow fever.

State Bonds.—We are informed by Pulaski Cowper, Esq., Private Secretary to the Governor, that he sold bonds of this State on Monday last at par.—*Ral. Standard.*

Extract from a Letter to the Editors of the Observer, from Mississippi.

I have travelled a good deal over this State latterly, and find the crops as good or better than usual, though the extreme dry weather for the last five weeks has caused cotton to open much earlier than it otherwise would have done. Tell the farmers of the Old North State that they need not think the price of cotton will be raised by the overflow of the Mississippi, for the destruction has not been as great as is generally believed abroad; and even if it was, Texas would more than make up the deficit. These facts I state from my own observation, as I spent the principal part of the Summer travelling in Texas, and conversed with many planters, who told me there was more cotton planted in the State of Texas this year than ever had been, and it was generally good.

Letter to the Editors of the Observer, dated

ELIZABETHTOWN, Bladen Co., Nov. 2.

I have just heard of a horrid affair and outrage committed in this county, about 20 miles below this place. The facts as I heard them are as follows: A company of young men, five in number, in a drunken spree on last Tuesday night, went to the house of a very poor man of the name of Baker, and went in, apparently friendly, when one of the crowd threw a pail of water on the fire and put it out, leaving them all in total darkness. One of them then threw Baker's wife on the floor with great violence. The poor fellow seized one of his two little children, his wife springing up took the other, and they ran towards the house of his old father, a distance of three or four hundred yards; but they were overtaken, and Baker was most cruelly whipped, after throwing him upon the ground and choking him until he could not call for help. They then left him, and he went on to his father's. On arriving there, his mother told him his house was on fire, and looking back he saw it was in a light blaze, and every thing the poor fellow had in the world was destroyed. The same lawless crowd then went to the house of his brother, another Baker, and broke open his door, knocked down his wife, tore off his shirt, and ran the whole family off the place. His house and every thing in it was also burnt.

The Bakers were remarkably harmless and inoffensive men. There is great sympathy for them in their neighborhood.

An old free negro by the name of Young, and his wife, (who live close by the Bakers,), were also most cruelly beaten, and nearly all their household furniture destroyed. It is generally believed this too was the work of the same lawless rioters.

Three of the rascals have been arrested, and two have made their escape.

LATER FROM EUROPE.

RIVIERE DU LOUP, Nov. 1.

The steamer Indian has arrived at Riviere du Loup, Canada, with advices from Europe to the 20th ult.

The employees of the Atlantic Telegraph Company have received notice to quit if there shall be no improvement in the line by the 30th of November.

The London Times complains that the American Minister to China begged, instead of demanding, a treaty, as the Allies did.

The French revenue for the first nine months of the present year exceeds the same period of last year five millions of dollars.

The Spanish government have determined that steamers plying regularly between Cuba and the United States shall enjoy the same privileges as the English mail steamers, with the liberty of carrying six tons of merchandise without paying light-house dues.

Commercial.—Cotton, sales of three days 19,000 bales, closing quiet and steady. Quotations barely maintained. Manchester reports unfavorable. Flour dull and steady. Wheat firm. Corn dull. Provisions dull. Sugar firm. Coffee steady. Rosin dull at 3s. 11d. a 4s. Spirits Turpentine firm at 39½ a 40s.

DIED,

At his residence, in Duplin county, on the 12th ult., Mr. ELISH HERRING, in the 84th year of his age. The deceased was a valuable citizen, and an affectionate husband and father. He leaves a large circle of relatives and friends to lament their loss.

In Robeson County, on the 23d Oct., Mr. DUNCAN McMILLAN, in the 23d year of his age.

In Sampson county, on the 26th ult., Mr. CHARLES A. HARRISON, aged 30 years.

In Lexington, at the residence of his father, on the evening of the 18th Oct. inst., JESSE F. HARGRAVE, in the 25th year of his age.

Mrs SOPHIA R. WARE, daughter of George C. & Mary S. McNeil, and wife of Henry H. Ware, was born in Fayetteville, N. C., Oct. 11, 1833, and died in Selma, Ala., Sept. 16, 1858.

COMMERCIAL RECORD.

ARRIVALS.

Lutterloh's Line. Nov'r 3, Str Fanny, with goods for W C Troy, Beaver Creek Co, E J Hale & Son, H McDonald, J Martine, H & E J Lilly, Starr & Williams, W N Tillinghast, W Martin, S J Hinsdale, G McNeill, E L Pearce, J B McCallum, J A J Bradford.

FOR SALE.

Land on Lower Little River.

IN pursuance of the Order of the Court of Equity in the case of B. W. Smith vs. Jonathan Worth, Adm'r of W. B. Ham, et al, I will sell, at the Court House door, on Monday of the Superior Court, the 15th Nov'r, that valuable Tract of Land known as the Thadeus Bell Land, situated on Lower Little River, adjoining the lands of John Ann Colvin and others, containing about 303 Acres.

Terms of Sale,—$50 cash, balance at 6 months. Bond and approved security required from the purchaser. W. A. HUSKE, C. & M. E.

Oct'r 16. 55*4w

NOTICE.

APPLICATION will be made to the Legislature of the State of North Carolina, at the next Session, for an act to annex that portion of Richmond County lying West of Little River (all above Little River,) to the county of Anson.

Oct. 23, 1858. 59*3t

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LIGHT DAWNED IN THE EAST.

FROM THE NATIONAL INTELLIGENCER.

We find the subjoined cheering articles in the Boston Courier. We learn by a private letter from an eminent Whig of Boston that the party there have completed the organization of the Whig State Committee, and that as soon as the elections are over they would prepare an elaborate address to the Whigs of the Union, presenting a platform broad enough for the Whigs of all parts of the country to stand upon.

FROM THE BOSTON COURIER OF OCTOBER 26.

We present to our readers this morning, and through them to all the Whigs of the State, an address which we are sure will carry with it great weight, and be felt throughout the Commonwealth as a document of more importance than any other which will be issued in this election. It is a paper signed by some two hundred citizens of sterling worth and high standing, of different occupations and residences, but all true National Whigs. * * * * * * *

This paper is proof that the National Whig party of Massachusetts is neither dead nor asleep. The men who have called it again into activity, and mean to place it again before the country as a "power in the State," know what their duties as citizens require of them, and will firmly pursue the path in which those duties lead. Once more, yet once more, and we trust for many a long year to come, the people of Massachusetts are to hear the old familiar and honorable and honored name, which more than any other political designation that has been known for forty years expresses a sound conservative spirit of nationality, and stands as the exponent of wise and beneficent legislation.

The singers of this address, it will be observed do not designate for which of the other two parties, the Democratic or the American, they recommend their fellow-Whigs to vote. Every man, in his own locality, can easily decide this question. If he concurs with the signers of this address in what they regard as a paramount duty, he will be at no loss to find means of performing it.

To the Whig Voters of Massachusetts.

The undersigned, members of the National Whig party, beg leave to address to you a few words at this time. In view of the present political condition of the country, and of the changes likely to take place in some of the prominent issues before the people during the next Presidential contest, the time has arrived, in our judgment, for a reorganization of the Whig party, National and State. This movement must begin somewhere, and we know of no place where it may with more propriety begin than in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, where Whig principles so long flourished, and where the policy of the Whig party so long prevailed, and produced such good results.

We have therefore taken the first steps towards a reorganization of the party within the State of Massachusetts, by designating a number of gentlemen to act as a Whig State Committee, whose claims to the confidence of the Whigs no one will dispute. It will be the duty of this committee to open a correspondence with Whigs in other parts of the country, at such time as they may deem expedient, for the purpose of completing the organization of a National Whig party; a duty which will be the more easily discharged from the fact that the National Whig Convention, which sat at Baltimore in 1856, appointed a committee with reference to such a measure.

For reasons which will readily occur to you, we have not deemed it expedient to present for your suffrages any Whig ticket for the ensuing State election. While we advise the Whig voters to be independent in this contest, we do not advise them to be neutral. In our judgment, they should not throw away their votes at random; still less abstain from voting at all. But in view of the policy and conduct of the present State administration, especially towards the Judiciary—respect for which has ever been a cardinal doctrine in the Whig creed—we cannot but consider it a paramount duty of the Whigs of Massachusetts to throw their votes in the way most likely to defeat the election of the candidates of the Republican party.

[Signed by 230 persons.]

LETTER FROM WASHINGTON.

Correspondence of the Baltimore Patriot.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1, 1858.

Our city is giving out unmistakeable signs of the near approach of the second session of the thirty-fifth Congress. The hotels and boarding houses are brushing up and putting the best foot foremost, so as to secure the patronage of the representatives of the people, and the vast crowds who flock to the metropolis during the winter, either upon business or for pleasure.

A number of members have already been here; the most of them, however, we presume, only for a temporary sojourn, to make arrangements for the future. Among those who have been and still are here, are some of the master spirits of the Democratic party, who have congregated for the purpose of consultation, and to devise plans to heal the breaches in the party, and if possible to arrest the opposition tide that is setting in with such tremendous force, and which furnishes indication of the complete and thorough overthrow of the once triumphant Democracy.

That Mr. Buchanan is seriously embarrassed there can be no doubt, and how he can extricate himself is utterly beyond my conception. Many, very many, of the prominent members of the party now occupy an exceedingly equivocal position, and if we outside barbarians were permitted to enter the gates, and see matters inside the walls, I am persuaded that the difficulties and heart-burnings are far more formidable and alarming than is generally supposed. Disintegration is rapidly going on, and should the same state of affairs continue, the administration of Mr. Buchanan must reach a point in its downward course far, very far, below that of any of his predecessors. Whatever may be the protestations of the Administration organs to the contrary, there is scarcely a doubt that there is no small amount of trouble in the Cabinet, and how a disruption can be avoided is beyond my comprehension.

Mr. Cobb has now to bear the whole brunt of the attack on Douglas; and the friends of the Illinois Senator, who are neither few nor powerless, charge him with fomenting the discord which has produced such damaging effect upon the party throughout the country. The news from the Old Dominion is, that an intestine war is now raging in the Democratic camp in that State, under the respective leaders of the Houses of Essex and Accomack. Should Letcher receive the nomination for Governor the Wise party must fall in the back ground; should he fail to receive the nomination Senator Hunter will occupy a similar position.

Specie Gone South.—The New York *Express* says a million of coin has been sent South to aid in the movement of the cotton crop.

In a Bad Way.—The editor of the De Soto *Columbian* says:

"We tax our brain, we scratch our head, in vain."

We suggest that if our brother of the *Columbian* will employ a fine tooth comb, his psoric exercises may not be altogether futile.

Petersburg Express.

THE PRECIOUS METALS.

The vast increase of gold within the last ten years, owing to the discoveries in California and Australia, has much exercised the minds and pens of political economists; and should the augmentation continue for twenty or thirty years longer at the same rate, it is clear that there will be a plethora of the root of all evil—certainly in the hands of the wealthy few, for the gifts of fortune are never scattered with an equal distribution amongst the many. But while an immense impulse has been given to the production of gold, no corresponding movement has taken place in the amount of silver. In a word, gold is getting common and silver is becoming comparatively scarce. The New York Courier has a very able editorial on the subject, in which it is contended this course of things must be changed, or the greatest commercial revolution the world has ever known must ensue—a revolution that the strongest Governments have often but always vainly tried to bring about, and now would find it equally futile to oppose. It is not possible there should be such a growing difference in the production of the precious metals without vastly altering their relative values, and superinducing an entirely new order of monetary affairs. The abandonment by the world of one of the two standards of exchange by which trade has been carried on since trade had existence; a new system of numismatics necessary; new coins to be made or other values instituted for those in use; prices and value of all kinds to undergo a yet greater change; and so on could be named movements the result of which must affect and include all classes, from the merchant prince to the poor Chinaman. But a few facts will set this matter in a stronger light. The ratio of the value of gold to silver up to 1848 was 16 to 1. From 1492 to 1848 the production of silver was double that of gold, but now it is less than one-third, while silver disappears from wear, abrasion, &c. four times as rapidly as gold. In 1492 it is recorded that $60,000,000 worth of gold was in existence, and $140,000,000 in silver. At the close of the next year, 1859, from carefully prepared statistics, it is proven that the amounts of gold and silver in existence will be about equal, or about four thousand millions of dollars each, and in 1890 the amount of gold in existence, according to the present rate of production, will be about two or three times as great as the amount of silver. At the end of the present century, according to the present rates of production, the amount of gold in existence will be thirteen thousand millions of dollars, while that of silver will be only five thousand millions.

The gold and silver in existence at different periods may be thus apportioned according to best authorities, such as Tooke's History of Prices, &c:

	SILVER.	GOLD.
In 1492	70 per cent.	30 per cent.
1803	65 do	35 do
1848	41 do	59 do
1858	48 do	52 do
1860	50 do	50 do
1892	30 do	60 do
1900	24 do	76 do

Such changes in the production and stocks of gold and silver must also be followed by great alterations in their relative values, whatever Governments and mints may decree. The Courier remarks "that Holland, Great Britain, France, and the United States have already practically only one standard of money, and the rest of the world must soon follow. Which shall it be? is an important question. Holland and China have decided on silver; the others have chosen gold. But one or the other must soon be generally adopted. The present price of silver is so disproportionably high that our silver dollars of the old coinage are worth one hundred and twenty cents, and in a few years will be worth two dollars in gold. The increase in the population and commerce of the world would be a strong argument in favor of adopting a metal as a standard of exchange, the production of which increases in nearly the same proportion. This is the case with gold, but not with silver, the stock of the latter metal being nearly stationary, as the wear, use in manufactures, loss, &c. are about equal to the production." We agree with these views of our contemporary, merely adding that this rapidly progressing auriferous revolution must ultimately work wonders in favor of the United States, now one of the two great and even inexhaustible gold mines of the world. In Arizona too there is abundance of silver; and should ever Mexico become American, that metal would doubtless be unearthed in enormous quantities, and we should certainly be the instruments of correcting a too great preponderance of gold. But few of the Mexican mines are at present worked, and nearly all of those yield their wealth to the skill and enterprise of English companies, and not to the industry or enterprise of the idle Mexicans. And it is remarkable that most of the rich silver placers, whether rocks, caverns, or mountains, are in the northern provinces of our sister Republic, and therefore contiguous to the present frontier of the United States. We opine that within a few years the *aurea oetas* will be followed by a "silver age."—*Philadelphia Inq.*

Marine Losses for October.—The monthly table of marine losses for the past month shows an aggregate of thirty vessels, of which four were ships, two were barques, two were brigs, twenty one were schooners, and one a sloop. The total value of property lost was $533,000. This is the value of the property totally lost, exclusive of damage to vessels not amounting to a total loss and of partial losses of cargo. The total losses for ten months of the present year are stated at $7,381,891, and for the same months of 1857 at $15,421,600.

A Little Difficulty in the Way.—An enterprising travelling agent for a well known Cleveland Tomb Stone Manufactory lately made a business visit to a small town in an adjoining county. Hearing in the village that a man in a remote part of the township had lost his wife, he thought he would go and see him, and offer him consolation, a grave stone, on his usual reasonable terms. He started. The road was a horribly frightful one, but the agent persevered and finally arrived at the bereaved man's house. Bereaved man's hired girl told the agent that the bereaved man was splitting fence rails "over in the pastur about two miles." The indefatigable agent hitched his horse and started for the "pastur." After falling into all manner of mud-holes, scratching himself with briars and tumbling over decayed logs, the agent at length found the bereaved man. In a subdued voice he asked the man if he had lost his wife. The man said he had. The agent was very sorry to hear of it and sympathized with the man very deeply in his great affliction; but death, he said, was an insatiate archer, and shot down all of both high and low degree. Informed the man that "what was her loss was his gain," and would be glad to sell him a grave stone to mark the spot where the beloved one slept—marble or common stone, as he chose, at prices defying competition. The bereaved man said there was "a little difficulty in the way." Haven't you lost your wife?" inquired the agent. "Why yes, I have," said the man, "but no grave stun ain't necessary; you see the cussed critter ain't dead. *She's scooted with another man!*" The agent retired.

Experience.—Experience is the most eloquent of preachers, but she never has a large congregation.

THREE DAYS LATER FROM EUROPE.

HALIFAX, Nov. 4.

The steamship *America* with Liverpool dates to the 23rd ult, arrived to-day.

Signals have been received at Valentia from Newfoundland very distinct, by means of Daniel's Battery, in use at the latter place. Orders have been given at once to use Daniel's Battery, at Valentia.

The Bank of England still refrains from reducing its rate, notwithstanding the money market is so easy that loans on government securities can be obtained at one per cent.

The Greek Christians in Bosnia have been committing terrible outrages on the mussulmen population.

Commercial.—LIVERPOOL, Oct. 23.—Cotton very dull and declined an eighth on the week, sales for the week 34,000 bales—closed very dull. Export 6,000; speculation 400. Estimated sales on Friday 6,000; Orleans fair 7¼; Middling 7¼; Uplands fair seven seven-sixteenths; Middling 7⅛. Stock in part 465,000 bales, including 360,000 American. Manchester advices unfavorable. Breadstuffs steady. Flour firm for choice, but other qualities very dull. Spirits turpentine steady, 39 a 40s.

WALKER'S EXPEDITION TO NICARAGUA.

The President's proclamation in reference to this nefarious enterprise, now contemplated, can in no sense be considered premature. The note of preparation is heard in various directions, indicating that plans have been fully matured for a desperate venture, and that nothing remains but to "beat to quarters" for embarkation at the rendezvous. For example, the Augusta (Ga) Despatch of the 27th ultimo contains the following:

"*Off for Nicaragua.*—Col. Rudier, one of the staff of Gen. Walker in his first expedition to Central America, left our city yesterday to join an emigrating party which is to sail from Mobile in a few days for Nicaragua. We learn that the company will go out with all the facilities necessary for the peaceful colonization of that country."

Equally explicit is the announcement in the New Orleans Crescent of a late date, which says:

"An emigration company is forming in this city with Nicaragua selected as the future home. A vessel is to leave Mobile on the 10th of next month for the Central American paradise, and with the emigrants there collecting the company in this city is forming and preparing to leave. Major Ellis is forming the company here, and his office is at the Merchants' Hotel, where he will be pleased to receive the applications of all who desire to go along. This is a civil and peaceable enterprise, and those who go will land and be received, and suffered to look out, each man for himself, just as the ship-loads of men do who land here from the old shores of Europe. Nicaragua *is* a place where citizens of the United States can settle and thrive in a peaceable way, and there are thousands who want to do so. All necessary particulars about the emigration will be given upon application to Major Ellis."

The presumption of those who thus openly announce their intention to invade the territory of a neighboring Republic, with whom we are at peace, in contravention of all national law and without provocation or excuse, is positively sublime; and that reliance should be placed on false colors and assumed names as an effectual protection from the interference of United States authorities under such circumstances surpasses comprehension. Every body knows that "emigration" is only a synonym for invasion, and "hollow ware" for death-dealing missiles and musketry Pretensions of this character are too "hollow" to be mistaken, or to conceal hostile intentions. Accordingly, with direct reference to this movement, the President, in his proclamation, enjoins all officers of the Government, civil and military, in their respective spheres, to be vigilant, active, and faithful in suppressing these illegal enterprises, and in carrying out their standing instructions to that effect.—*Jour. of Commerce.*

COMMERCIAL RECORD.

ARRIVALS.

Cape Fear Line. Nov 6, Str Flora McDonald, with goods for C Bennington, Wm Vink, Murchison, Reid & Co, J C McDiarmid, D G Worth, and others.

Lutterloh's Line. Nov'r 4 and 6, Strs Rowan, Fanny and Southerner, with goods for J H Pritchard, J Bruce, J M Turner, also goods for sundry Merchants in Town.

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LAST CALL.

ALL PERSONS indebted to us either by Note or Account, are hereby notified that after the 20th inst., they will be called upon by an officer for settlement. There is no gammon in the above; we intend to do what we say.

N. B. Those little Bar-Bills that have been standing for some time, would look better if they were "*Liquor-dated,*"—a hint to wise is sufficient.
F. N. & J. H. ROBERTS.
Nov. 8, 1858. 60-4t

FRESH ARRIVALS.

JUST received pr Steamer Fanny,
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10 ¼ " do. " 1 Do.
10 ½ " MESS SHAD;
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W. C. TROY.
Nov. 3, 1858. 60-tf

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Wilmington, June 10, 1858. 18-6mipd

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August 9. 35tf

PROPOSED NEW BANK IN N. CAROLINA.

From the Standard.

As there is now a calm in the public mind well fitted for the consideration of financial matters, and that mind, although the press of the State is silent on the subject, is deeply engaged in inquiry and deliberation on the currency and debt of the State, I propose to offer some suggestions for the consideration of the members elect to the General Assembly.

It is known that this body must provide the means of redeeming about $700,000 of the debt of the State, which falls due between the sessions of 1858 and 1860.

There are two modes of doing this, which at once occur to the mind: 1st, by taxation; 2d, by the issue of State bonds.

The former is not likely to be resorted to except to a limited extent. The addition in each year 1859 and 1860 of $350,000 to the sum necessary to be raised to supply the current governmental expenses and interest on the debt already created and in the process of creation, would be very onerous, and not likely to meet with favor from any quarter.

The latter mode would involve a sale of the bonds at a discount, and would not tend to strengthen the credit of those already in being. Indeed, unless some strong and reliable provision were made for the speedy redemption of the bonds issued to liquidate the debt thus postponed, the very issuing of them would depreciate the State credit. Such, briefly, is our monetary condition.

The public mind seems also to be settled in the conclusion that the present Bank of the State must be re-chartered, or another one created. Now, my suggestion is this:

1. Charter a bank, or re-charter the bank of the State, with a capital of $2,500,000. Its stock to consist of the School fund, and the University fund, and the residue of individual stock.

2. Let it be the duty of the bank to redeem $500,000 in value of the bonds as they fall due, or earlier if the bank and holder can agree; the bank to hold them and receive six per cent. on them until they shall be redeemed by the State, —the State redeeming at least $50,000 each year, and more if it shall choose; thus making the total redemption, at the furthest, in ten years. As the bonds shall be redeemed the amount paid to become stock in the bank. The increase of capital will thus be gradual, and if, by the accumulation, it shall become too great, it may be curtailed by application to the Legislature.

3. The basis of capital, however, on which discounts are to be made, is not to be larger than the amount of actual money capital, not reckoning as a part thereof, any portion of the *unredeemed* bonds. This will prevent the dangerous experiment of banking on a permanent basis of State credit. In the division of dividends, the stock will be represented in full at $2,500,000.

4. Let the bank be required to lend the State $200,000 without interest.

5. Let the bank pay out no notes in the negotiation of paper but its own issue. This is found to be the surest guaranty against excessive issues.

6. Let the excess of dividends beyond 8 per cent. on individual stock be paid to the State for the school fund.

7. Let there be a *contingent fund*, not exceeding 6 or 7 per cent. on the operating capital, which, on the winding up of the bank, shall belong to the State.

8. Let there be no tax on the bank, in consideration of the advantages and bonuses to the State.

9. Let there be no bill issued under $5.

I omit to specify any other provisions, because they are mere matters of detail; and if these are acceptable, it cannot be readily supposed there will be much difficulty as to those of less importance.

If such a charter shall be passed at the early part of the session, the success or failure of it will be shown in a few weeks—whether the charter shall continue the present bank or originate a new one.

A CITIZEN.

NOTE.—This scheme is presented after much and long deliberation. I well know how easy self-deception is in a pursuit of some favorite policy; and to guard against that, I present this scheme now, with the approval of several whose experience is strong proof that the main features, at least, are utilitarian and practical.

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Nov. 4. 60-

NOTICE.

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J. H. ROBERTS,
J. W. HOPKINS.
Nov. 3, 1858. 60-2t

List of Premiums Awarded,

AT THE CUMBERLAND COUNTY FAIR.

The several Examining Committees of the Agricultural Society of Cumberland County awarded the following Premiums at their 5th Annual Exhibition, Nov. 3d, 4th, and 5th, 1858:

HORSES, MULES, JACKS, JENNETS & CATTLE.

E L Faison, Sampson Co., 1 fine Stallion, of the Morgan Blood, 3 years old, $5
do 1 Filly 3 years old, 4
Jonathan Evans, Jr., 1 Brood Mare, 4
E L Winslow, Jr., 1 Filly 3 years, 3
Neill McNeill, 1 Colt 1 year old, 2
K Bryant, 1 Marsh Poney, 2
Dr G C Newby, Chatham Co, 1 Mare & Colt, 4
Jas McIntyre, 1 Stallion 8 years old, 4
R E Harris, 1 Draft Horse, 4
Joel Williams, 1 Jennet 16 months old, and 1 Jennet 5 years old, 5
Jonathan Evans, 1 Jack 5 years old, 1 Mare and Mule Colt, 7
E L Faison, 1 Bull, Devon, 4 years old, 4
do 1 Bull, Devon, 1 year, 2
do 1 Durham Heifer, 2 yrs old, 2
M J Faison, Sampson Co, 1 Durham Bull 1 year old, 2

The stock exhibited by the Messrs Faison were very fine, and of the most approved breeds.

Joel Williams, 1 Cow and Calf, native, 3
J A Worth, 1 fine Milch Cow, 3
Dr G C Newby, 1 Cow and Calf, 2
do 1 Bull, Grade, 2

Other cattle were exhibited by Messrs E W Barge and Joel Williams, which were very creditable.

TROTTING AND PACING HORSES.

E L Faison, Sampson Co., best Trotter, 'Reindeer', Time, 3.37, $5
J L Bryan, 2d best,
Jas McKethan, Jr., best Pacing Horse, Time, 3.45 4
Dr B C Williams, 2d best,

A number of other fine Harness Horses were exhibited, and their performance on the track very creditable.

SHEEP AND HOGS.

J Marshall Williams, 3 No Bone Pigs 2 months old, $2
Thos B Cowan, 2 Pigs 6 mos. old, 2
J W Strange, 2 South Down Sheep & 2 Lambs, 3
Mugh McLean, 1 Pair Cotswold Lambs, 1
do 1 Native Sheep, 1
H Newell, 1 Sow & 2 Pigs, very fine, 2
Jas G Cook, 2 Sows and Pigs, 2
R McDaniel, 8 Pigs 4 mos. old, very fine, 5

Report on Steam, Horse and Hand Power.

1 Sugar Cane Crusher is exhibited by Perry Davidson and manufactured by Dickson, Davidson & Co. This is a first rate article, well gotten up, and well made. In the opinion of the Committee, it is better adapted to ordinary farm use than any thing they have seen.

1 Double Iron feeder Corn Sheller, by the same parties—very good of the price and very well made.

1 Straw Cutter, by the same parties—very good, and well made. The bar against which the revolving blades act being of cast steel, and easily removed for grinding, gives this Cutter a decided advantage over those of the same kind which have a cast iron bar.

1 Corn and Cob Crusher, exhibited by D. & W. McLaurin; a very good article of the kind and performs well.

1 Model of a Steam Engine, exhibited by Capt. Benj. Rush, and made by him during his apprenticeship some 30 years ago. It is an antique affair, and carries one back to the younger day of steam power; but in its day and time was doubtless a greater *success* than many of the modern inventions. The modern engineer will see in it some things he has never seen before, and some that he may see again *brought out anew as an invention.* The skill displayed by the apprentice, sufficiently accounts for the success of the Captain.

1 Model of a Steam Engine, exhibited by F. Beckerdite, and made by him (between times) or in his own time; worthy of favorable notice as exhibiting industry, perseverence, considerable skill and a laudable ambition.

1 Atmospheric Churn, exhibited by S. P. Francisco, Reading, Pa. The best thing in the way of a *fast* churn we have yet seen.

1 Sewing Machine, exhibited by S. J. Hinsdale, Wheeler & Wilson's patent.

2 Sewing Machines, exhibited by A. A. McKethan, Singer's patent.

Without a more critical examination of the mechanism and operation of these machines than we had time to make, we are unwilling to express an opinion as to the merits of the two inventions. They are both good machines, sew well and fast, putting in a stitch that will not ravel, and rather more difficult to rip than ordinary sewing. The Committee are pleased to see some reduction in the price of this useful machine. Until lately the price was $125. Wheeler & Wilson's can now be had for $50 and $75, and the smaller kind of Singer's for $50. This is a step in the right direction, but they are still too high by half.

C. B. MALLETT.
GEO. MAKEPEACE.
JNO. KIRKPATRICK.
D. MURPHY.

POULTRY.

Master G W Woodward, 1 pr Brahmas, dip
Miss A E Lumsden, mixed breed, dip
Mrs G W I Goldston, Australian, $1
Master W J Woodward, 1 pair Cochin China, 1
Mrs Dr Foulkes, 2 fine Mongrel hens, dip
J A Worth, mixed breed, dip
Mrs Dr Foulkes, best pair Brahmas, 1
J A Worth, pair Brahmas, dip
Master A A McKethan, 2d best pair Brahmas, 1
Master J W Mallett, for mixed, 1
Hugh McLean, one pair Downey, dip
Theo Evans, one lot Brahmas, largest lot, 3
J Marshall Williams, one pair Game, 1
James Roberts, one pair Game, dip
Jno W Carroll, 1 fine Brahma, dip
Mrs Gen Winslow, fine lot Brahmas, dip
Thos B Cowan, pair mixed Breed, dip
David McDuffie, 1 pair Sea Bright, 1
" " 1 pair Shanghai, 1
Mrs E C Hall, 1 pair Ducks, 1
Master C P Mallett, Pea Fowls, 1
Theo Evans, best pair Turkeys, 1
" " lot of " dip
Thos B Cowan, pair Black Spanish, 1
Master J W Mallett, 1 Turkey, dip

HOUSEHOLD FABRICS.

Mrs S Johnson, 1 Fancy Quilt, 1st Premium $1
" H Murchison, 1 do 2d "
Miss M J McLean, 1 do 2d "
" H N Yates, 1 do 2d
Mrs J H Hawley, 1 do Orange bush 2d prem
" " 1 do 2d "
" Mary Ivey, 1 Quilt, 1st Prem. $1
Miss Ellendar McMillan, 1 Fancy Quilt, 1st pr 1
Mrs M A Byrne, 1 Fancy Quilt, 2d Prem
" Mullins, 1 Fancy Quilt, 2d "
" Catharine Kendall, 1 do 2d "
" E B King, 1 do 2d "
" R Little, 1 do 1st " 1
" I I Fonda, 1 do 1
Miss E L Sundy, 1 do 2d "
Mrs J H Hawley, 1 Emb'd Blanket, very handsome and entitled 1st prem 1
Mrs W D Harrington, 1 White Counterpane, very heavy and serviceable, 1st prem 1
Miss Flora McPherson, 1 Counterpane, 2d prem
Mrs Alex McPherson, 1 " 2d "
" D Sikes, 1 " knitted in squares, 1st prem 1
" W B Fields, 1 Counterpane, very handsome, 1st prem 1
Miss Ann Buie, 1 Worsted do dip
" " " 1 White Counterpane, prem 1
" S M Taylor, 1 do " 1
Mrs A J Graham, 1 Worsted Counterpane, extra, 1st prem 1
" E B King, 1 Counterpane, 1
" Battley, 1 White Counterpane, Emb'd 1
" I I Fonda, 1 Tufted Spread, very handsome, 1
Miss Mary McPherson, 2 pieces Rug Carpeting, 1st prem 2
" " " 1 Flax Table Cloth, 1st prem 1
" S M Taylor, 1 White Blanket, 1
Mrs E James, 1 Coat and Pants, made by herself, 2
" J H Hawley, 1 Satin Vest, made by herself, 1
" Evans, best pair Silk-mixed Socks, and Box of Socks, 1
" W B Fields, best Door Mat, 1
" W T Smith, 1 piece Homespun, very nice, 1
Miss Isabella Currie, best piece Jeans, 2
" Ann Buie, " " 2d prem 1
Mrs A J Graham, " " 2d " 1
" M A Burnes, 1 sample Sewing Silk, 1
" J A Worth, 1 pr Socks, 1st prem 1

FANCY NEEDLE-WORK, PAINTINGS, &c.

Miss M E Robinson, Chrochet Shawl, $1
" M J Thomson, black-bordered Chrochet Shawl, 1
" Mag W Stedman, Crochet Shawl, 2d prem.
" Mary Morphis, do do. 2d prem.
Mrs D A Ray, fine Tape Collar, 1
Miss Eliza Cook, do. do. 2d prem.
" H McNeill, do. do. dip.
Mrs J H Hawley, Embr'd ditto 1
Miss A Warden, do. 1
" Maria McKenzie, do. dip.
" Sallie McNeill, do. dip.
" Emeline Murphy, do. dip.
Mrs Fields, Chrochet ditto, 1
Miss M J Thomson, set Transferred Work, 2
" Kate Myrover, one " Collar, 1
" Isabella Cook, Lace Collar, 1
" Do. Muslin do. dip.
Mrs J H Hawley, Tattin do. 1
Miss Fannie Gilchrist, Lace Pocket Handk'f, 1
Mrs A J O'Hanlon, Muslin do. 1
Mrs J H Hawley, pair Pillow Slips; 1
English Embroidery, exhibited by Miss Fonda, Miss Warden, Miss Dodd, Mrs Reuben Jones, Miss Elizabeth Wishart, Miss C J Jackson, Miss Kate Carmon, Miss Eliza Cook, Miss Amelia King, Miss M A Benton, prems.
Miss H W Smith, embr'd Dress, 1
" Kate Ferguson, child's do. 1
Mrs E P King, do. do. 2d prem.
Miss Lawrence, do. do. 2d prem.
Mrs Wm Huske, infant's do. 1
Miss Baker, worsted Night-Caps, 1
Mrs Benton, do. do. 2d prem.
Miss Isabella Cook, French emb'd Infant's Waist 1
Mrs Dr Foulkes, silk emb'd Merino do. 1
" Robt Dodd, DeLain do. 1
" K M Murchison, Flannel do. 2d prem.
Miss Nannie Hatchell do. do. 2
Mrs Wm Fields, Merino Sack, 1
" D Murphy, " Infant's Shawl, dip.
Miss H McNeill, braided Dress, 1
" A C Benton, " Slippers, 1
Mrs B Fuller, " do. 1
" J R McDonald, braided Cap, 1
" J H Hawley, Watch-Case (musk melon,) dip
" Robt Dodd, musk melon Bag, dip.
Miss Mary Sandford, Pin Cushion, 1
Mrs J H Hawley do. dip.
Miss E W Murphy, do. dip.
" Bella Leete, Mats, 1
Ladies of the Presbyterian Church, Wilmington, N. C., Mats, very pretty.
Mrs J H Hawley, Mats, dip.
Miss Fonda, Chinese worked Child's Dress, dip.
" Benton, Cake Napkins, dip.
" Murphy, do. dip.
" McNeill, do. dip.
" Jane Currie, Goose-down, 1
" A C McRae, Net Infant's Cap, dip.
" Ella Campbell, Crochet Hat, 1
" D A Bailey, Fancy Mantilla, 1
" Alice Campbell, Portable Work-Case, 1
" M W Stedman, Clouds, 1
" Alice Campbell, do. 1
" Mary Benton, Lace Cape, 2d prem.
" Ellen Prior, hem'd Handkerchief, 2d prem.
" Alice Campbell, Needle Cases, dip.
" M W Stedman, do. 1
" S A Tillinghast, Worsted Cuffs dip.
G S Deming, Coral Ring, dip.
Mrs G H Haigh, Child's Emb'd Hat, dip.
Miss McFarland, Paper Basket, 1
Mrs W B Fields, basket Rosin Fruit, 1
Miss S A Tillinghast, Crochet Mats, 1
" Bella Leete, Card Basket, 1
" Isabella Cook, Grandmother's Cap, 1
" Sarah Simmons, Shuck Basket, 2
Mrs D Murphy, Child's Basque, dip.
" J H Hawley, Box Japan Work, 1
Miss Fannie Carmon, Stitched Toilet, 1
" Mary Robinson, 2 Birch-bark Watch-cases, 1
Mrs Dr Benbow, Mat, 1
Mrs Fields, Tidy, dip.
Mrs G Deming, Tidy, 1

OIL PAINTING.

Miss Ann Rhodes, Clinton, N C. $1
" Ella Pearce, 2
" C J Jackson, 1
" Laura Sanders, 1
" Mag Ray, 2

DRAWINGS.

Miss H Starr, $1
" A Evans, 1

LEAF AND FLOWER WORK.

Miss Lydia Salmon, of Statesville, exhibited by Mrs R W Hardie, $2
Mrs J H Hawley, Hair Wreath, 2
Miss Kate Myrover, Stool, 1
" H Yates, Crochet Mat, 1
" Mary Morphis, Tufted Mat, 1
E C Sweeny, Chrystal Painting, 2
Miss E Cook, Tidies, 1
Mrs S A Leete, do. 1
Mrs Maria McKenzie, Crochet Hat, 1

The Committees on Fancy Needle-Work and Paintings report a superior collection of the former, and a few Oil Paintings, highly creditable to our young county women.

AGRICULTURE.

G W Bullard, best Acre of Corn on high land, 78 bushels, $10
G Culbreth, 2d best Ditto, 74¾ bushels, 5
A J Troy, Columbus Co., sample large Corn in ears, 1
Jno Kirkpatrick, 1 bbl. Chinese Sugar Cane Sirup, 2
J C Lee, Robeson Co., large Cotton Stalk, (Sea Island,) 1
J A McPherson, 1 bushel Potatoes, African Yams, 2d prem.
Miss M McPherson, 2 lots Spanish yams, 2d prem.
D G McRae, 1 large yam Potatoe, dip.
Miss Mary McPherson, 2 Pumpkins, dip.
John Sundy, sample white Yams,
McClenahan, Taylor & Co., Chatham county, 5 boxes Tobacco, prime, 2
J P Jones, lot Tobacco, very good, 2d prem.

Gray Culbreth, sample Corn, dip.
Do. 2 varieties Potatoes, dip.
David Anderson, 1 lot large Yams, dip.
Thos B Cowan, 1 bus. Ground Peas, very fine, 1
D G McRae, 1 large Squash, 1
Jno Cook, sample of Cotton, very fine, 1
P M Powell, " Winter Oats, 1
Do " Corn, dip.
A M Byrd, Harnett co., sample Gouper Peas, 1
Joel Williams, 1 very large Potatoe, dip.
A J Woodward, sample large Potatoes, dip.
J P McLean, do do.
Do. sample Field Peas, very fine, 1
Jas A Smith, Robeson co., sample Turnips, dip.
W J Stuart, " do. do. 1
John A Worth, fair do. do., dip.
Theo Evans, ditto, 141 bus on ¼ acre, equal to 564 bus. per acre, 5
J W Pearce, Turnips, very large, dip.
J W Strange, 3 varieties Turnips, large, 1
J A Worth, 1 lot Potatoes, dip.
D M Pearsall, Duplin co., 1 lot Do., very fine,
Theo Evans, 1 sample 304 bushels Potatoes, grown on 1 acre, 5
J W Pearce, 6 very handsome varieties of Sweet Potatoes, 3
Master Cicero Pearce, specimen Rare Ripe Corn, 1
Col Wm Alderman, sample Corn Meal, very good, 2d prem.
J A Worth, Japan Peas, very handsome,
Mrs E McDuffie, Cayenne Pepper Bush in full fruit, 1
W J Stuart, 1 lot Corn, good
J W Pearce, 2 large Beets, 1
A McLean, 1 large Pumpkin, No. 1, 1
Dr G C Newby, 1 do. 2d prem.
Dr G C Newby, samples of Georgia Peas, Spring Wheat, Winter Oats, Japan and Clay Bank Peas, $3
Hugh McLean, sample Corn Meal, 1
J W Strange, " Corn, very good, Pop Corn, Sugar Cane, Ground Peas, Canada Prolific Corn, all very fair, 2d prem.
G D Baker, sample Long Peas, 1
Do. 1080 lbs Fodder from one acre, an extra yield, 3
D G Parker, sample Cotton in the Seed.
H L Myrover, 26 ears Peabody Corn, from 3 grains, 1
Hugh McLean, 7 varieties Apples, 3
J P McLean, 4 do. do. 2
Mrs W B Wright, 1 fine Egg Plant, dip.
Dr Foulkes, Parsnips, Salsify, Potatoe Squash, Lima Beans, dip.
John W Carroll, fine Radishes, large Water Melon, dip.
D McRae, 1 lot fine Squashes, dip.

The attention of the Executive Committee has been called to a barrel of extra Flour and bag of Meal, sent by Harris Tysor of Moore county, and also to a very superior variety of Apples, by Westbrook and Mendenhall, Guilford county, which were too late to be entered at the Fair.

CABINET WORK.

Ira Hersey, 1 Bedstead, prem $2
John W Baker, 1 lot Furniture, very handsome.
I I Fonda, (N C A,) 1 handsome Walking Cane.

MILL FABRICS.

Murchison, Reid & Co., 2 bolts Sheeting, 2d prm
Rockfish Co., 2 " " 1st "
lot Cotton Yarn, prm
1 piece ¾ Sheeting, "
1 piece ¾ Osnaburg, "
Blount's Creek Co., 1 piece Sheeting, dip
1 piece c'd Cotton Jeans, "
1 piece Woolen " prm
1 piece " " dip
1 lot Wool Rolls, prm
1 lot Sewing Twine, dip
1 lot Cotton Yarn, 1st prm
Cross Creek Co., 1 lot Cotton Yarn, dip
1 lot Candle Wick, prm
1 lot Stocking Yarn, "
1 lot Sewing Thread, "
Mrs Martha Spears, 93 years old, 1 lot Knitting Yarn, prm
John Shortridge, Richmond county, 1 lot Kerseys, 1st prm
Richmond Manf Co., 1 piece Sheeting, 2d "
1 lot Cotton Yarn, dip
John Shortridge, Richmond county, 1 piece plain Linsey, prm
David Gee, lot Farmer's Hats, 1st prm, $1
Silk " " 1
Wool " dip

DAIRY.

Mrs John Buie, best specimen Butter, $2
Mrs John W Sandford, 2d best " 1
Mrs King, 2d best " 1
Mrs Jas M Vann, Butter, ingeniously and tastefully arranged, 1

FOOD, CONDIMENTS, &c.

1 Loaf Bread, Mrs David Gee, 1st prem
Do Mrs Gen'l Winslow, 2d "
Do Miss Ellen Prior, 2d "
Rolls, Miss R N Tillinghast, 1st "
Do Mrs J C Thomson, 2d "
Do Mrs Minor, 2d "
Also, excellent Bread from Mrs Dr Foulkes, Mrs J C Blocker, and Mrs James McKethan.
Rusk, Mrs J J Minor, 1st prem
Potato Buns, Mrs J C Blocker, 1st "
Corn Bread, Mrs E B King, 1st "
Tea Biscuit, Mrs Joseph A Worth, 1st "
Biscuit, Mrs Gen'l Winslow, 1st "
Fruit Cake, Mrs J W Sandford, 1st "
Do Miss Anna Cook, 2d "
Ornamented Cake, Mrs Gen'l Winslow, 1st "
Corn Starch " Miss Kate Myrover, 1st "
Walnut Cake, Mrs J H Hawley, 1st "
Sponge Cake, Mrs Gen'l Winslow, 1st "
Love Cakes & Ginger Nuts, Miss Ellen Prior, 1st "
Tomato Pickles, Miss Alice Campbell, 1st "
Mango " (12 years old) Mrs E J Hale, 1st "
Also, excellent Tomato Pickles, from Mrs J B Ferguson, Miss M A Stedman, Mrs Joseph Utley, Mrs J A Worth, Mrs A W Steel, Mrs E J Hale, Mrs W J Anderson, and Miss Ann Pearce.
Beautiful Sugar Candy, Miss Meta Sandford, 1st prem
Cucumber Pickles, Mrs A W Steel, 1st "
Do Mrs D Murphy, 2d "
Also, nice do. from Miss Sarah Kirkpatrick, Mrs C M Winslow, Miss Grace Lumsden, and Mrs A A McKethan.
Cucumber Catsup, Miss Mary H Pearce, 1st prem
Do Mrs D A Ray, 2d "
Pickled Walnuts, Mrs J E Bryan, 1st "
" Mangos, Mrs A A McKethan, 1st "
" " Mrs A Gilchrist, 2d "
" " Mrs D A Ray, 1st "
Pepper Mangos, Miss Mary Campbell, 1st "
Pickled Cabbage, Mrs J C Blocker, 1st "
2 jars Pickled Peppers, Mrs M A Barnes, Robeson county, 1st "
Dried Figs, Mrs J H Hawley, 1st "
Fresh Peaches in Cans, Hugh McLean, Harnett county, 1st "
Do in bottles, Mrs Wm Mitchell, 1st "
Do do, Mrs J F Foulkes, 2d "
Also, Peaches, very fine, from Mrs J A Worth, Mrs A J Woodward, Mrs W J Anderson, Jno P McLean, and W N Tillinghast.
Dried Cherries, Mrs W B Field, 1st prem
" Apples, " 1st "
Peach Paste, Miss Delia C Mitchell, 1st "
Tomatoes in jars, Mrs J A Worth, 1st "
Do, Mrs W J Anderson, 2d "
Also, Tomatoes from Mrs Wm Mitchell and Mrs J E Bryan.
Tomato Catsup, Mrs Wm Mitchell, 1st prem
Blackberry Wine, Mrs C M Winslow, 1st "
Also excellent Wines from Miss S Kirkpatrick, Mrs J C Thomson, Mrs Susan H Hall, Mrs J W Sandford, Mrs Reuben Jones, Mrs Jno Winslow, Mrs J A Worth, Mrs Dr Foulkes,
Scuppernong Wine, Jonathan Evans, 1st prem
Do Miss Sarah Kirkpatrick, 1st "
Do John Caldwell, 2d "
Cultivated Grape Wine, Hugh McLean, 1st "
Pickled Peaches, Mrs D A Ray, 1st "
Do " J H Hawley, 2d "
Sweet Pickles, " D Murphy, 1st "
Do " J C Blocker, 2d "
Do " A A McKethan, 2d "
Preserves, Peach, " J C Poe, 1st "
Do " A A McKethan, 1st "
Do " W J Anderson, 2d "
Preserves, Pears, " J C Poe, 1st "
Do Jno P McLean, 2d "
Do " A A McKethan, 2d "
Do " D A Ray, 2d "
Tomatoes, A J Woodward, 1st "
Citron Preserves, Mrs J J Minor, 1st "
Do " J H Hawley, 2d "
Quinces, " H L Myrover, 1st "
Scuppernong Marmalade, Mrs J C Blocker, 1st "
Crab Apple, Mrs David Murphy, 1st "
Also, a variety of nice Preserves from Mrs A A McKethan, Mrs A J Woodward, Mrs J H Hawley, Mrs James McKethan, Mrs J E Bryan.
Jellies, Siberian Crab, very beautiful, Mrs W T Smith, 1st prem
Jellies, Grape, Mrs W J Anderson, 1st "
Do Currant, " J A Worth, 1st "
Do Peach, Miss Deborah Bailey, 1st "
Do Apple, Mrs A A McKethan, 1st "
Do Pear, " M C Worth, 1st "
Do Blackberry, Mrs J B Ferguson, 1st "
Do Apple, " Jonathan Evans, 1st "
Do Grape, " Joseph Utley, 1st "
Do Scuppernong, Mrs Dr Foulkes, 1st "
Other nice Jellies from Miss E M McPherson, Mrs A W Steel, Mrs W J Anderson, Mrs H L Myrover, Mrs J H Hawley, Mrs E A Ochiltree, Mrs J C Blocker.
Champagne Scuppernong Wine, Mrs Dr Foulkes, 1st prem
Wine, Wild Grape, G Barbery, 1st "
Bullas Wine, Hugh McLean, 1st "
Strawberry Wine, Miss Kirkpatrick, 1st "
Tomato Do Mrs Joseph Utley, 1st "
Elderberry Do Miss R A Hodges, 1st "
Brandy Peaches, Mrs Dr Foulkes, 1st "
Do do " G C Newby, 2d "
Apple Brandy, Hugh McLean, 1st "
Sugar Cane Spirits, Hugh McLean, 1st "
Apple Brandy, Gabriel Barbry, 1st "
Jar of Honey, John P McLean, 1st "
Box " J E Burns, 1st "
Medicated Soap, Mrs A A McKethan, 1st "
Blackberry Cordial, Mrs J W Sandford, 1st "
" " Mrs Jona Evans, 2d "
" " Mrs Dr Foulkes, 2d "
Sugar Cane Syrup, from W T Harrington and Hugh McLean, both good.
Cherry Bounce, Mrs C M Winslow, 1st prem
Vinegar, made from Sugar Cane, Blackberry, Plum and Apple, from Mrs W J Anderson, Mrs E A Ochiltree, Hugh McLean, T B Cowan.
Fresh Blackberries, W N Tillinghast, 1st prem

The Committee fear that some articles have been overlooked, owing to the limited time they had for the examination.

FLOWERS.

Mrs James Huske, 2 Vases of beautiful Paper Flowers, prem
Do 2 Vases Chrystalized Grapes, prem
Miss Henlen M Smith, 1 vase very handsome Wax Flowers, prem
Miss A M Pierce, 1 beautiful Rose Geranium, prem
Mrs John W Sandford, 2 large Oleanders, very fine, dip
" S J Hinsdale, 2 well arranged and pretty Boquets, "
" H L Myrover, 1 " " " " "
" Jos. W Evans, 2 " " " " "
Miss Kate Myrover, 1 " " " " "
Mrs Dr Foulkes, 1 basket beautiful Flowers, "
Miss Ann Warden, 1 Boquet, very handsome, "
Mrs D A Ray, 2 Jars Chrysanthemums, "
Miss Susan Gilchrist, 1 beautiful Boquet, prem

DISCRETIONARY PREMIUMS.

A J Woodward, Boot Polish, $2
Mrs A J Woodward, White Soap, 1
" Dr Benbow, " " 1
Dr D W C Benbow, Box Minerals, 1
C B Mallett, Horse Rake, 1
G & L Brandt, Patent Carpet Sweeper, extra, 2
A A McKethan, extra fine Sliding Buggy, 10
Mrs D C McNeill, Robeson Co., Fine Peas, 2
Welch & Weisiger, Patent Iron Plow, 2
Bold Robin Hood, Sampson Co., Iron Plow, 2
David Murphy, Printing Paper, 2
Jas McKethan, 2 Bacon Hams, 2
Mrs W L Miller, 1 sample of Soap, very fine, 1
Wm Mitchell, 1 lot handsomely dressed Sheep Skins, $2

The Executive Committee note the following persons as the largest contributors to the Fair, viz: Mrs. J. H. Hawley, 27 articles in the ladies' department; Mrs. Dr. Foulkes, 16; E. L. & M. J. Faison, of Sampson Co., 13 in the Live Stock Department; Joel Williams 9; Theo. Evans, the largest number and variety of Poultry; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Worth, contributed 18 articles in all; Hugh McLean, of Harnett Co., made 14 entries of different articles; J. W. Strange 9; Mrs. W. J. Anderson 10; Blount's Creek Co. the largest number and variety of Mill Fabrics.

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OBSERVER.
FAYETTEVILLE.

MONDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 8, 1858.

THE FAIR.—Nothing could have been more satisfactory to the Agricultural Society and its friends, and to the citizens of this place, than the first two days of the Fair, Wednesday and Thursday last. The weather was most delightful; the concourse of people from the county and all the neighboring counties was greater than on any previous occasion, and included a large number of ladies; the articles exhibited were both more numerous and of a better quality than ever before; and the attendance at the Fair Grounds was very large, manifesting the pleasure which the exhibition and the association gave, and preserving that good order for which crowds here, and indeed throughout the Southern country, are so generally noted. We spoke of the first two days. Doubtless the third would have been equally agreeable but for the rain which poured down all day, and prevented many from visiting the grounds, though there was a much better attendance, of both sexes, than could have been expected in such weather. Every thing went off pleasantly. The members, and especially the officers of the Society are highly gratified at the success, so much better than they expected, of their Fifth Fair, and will go to work with new zeal and bright hopes to prepare for the Sixth.

On Thursday, the Grounds were visited by a Battalion of Military, consisting of five uniform companies, all of this town and county, under the command of Col. Leete, of the 33d Regiment, with Majors R. M. Orrell and H. L. Brantly.

At this time, whilst the largest crowd was present, Joel Williams, Esq., President of the Society, read the Annual Address, in which he introduced many views and observations of his own experience as an intelligent and successful Farmer.

The Secretary, John P. McLean, Esq., with his usual prompt attention to the interests of the Society, has put in shape for publication the List of Premiums awarded by the several Committees, which will be found in another part of to-day's paper.

We learn that the receipts during the Fair were about $600.

On Thursday the Railroad Company invited the public to take a free ride over that part of the road which is completed. A large crowd, filling twelve cars, accepted the invitation. The trip was enlivened by delightful music from the Saxe-Horn Band.

REVIVAL OF THE WHIG PARTY.—The address of 230 Whigs of Massachusetts, to their fellow Whigs of that State, will be hailed with joy by many besides the thousands who never could reconcile themselves to an affiliation with any other party, either American, Democratic or Republican. It is a move in the right direction, and made by the right men, for among the signers are the names of Tudor, Appleton, Curtis, Perkins, Lunt, Lincoln, Gray, Sumner, Saltonstall, Hilliard, and others of the eminent citizens of that old commonwealth. And they base their appeal for action upon the duty of Whigs to sustain the Judiciary, and "therefore to throw their votes *in the way most likely to defeat the election of the candidates of the Republican party.*" That has the ring of the true metal. That is National Whiggery, such as we were familiar with in the days of Clay and Webster, when Massachusetts and Kentucky and North Carolina could stand side by side, undivided by any miserable sectional issue—a "union of Whigs for the sake of the Union." We hail the step with joy, and hope that it will be responded to in every State. It may not lead to the restoration of the Whigs to power, either in the Union or in the State, though even that is possible in the present divided condition of the Democratic party. But whether it does or does not, is a matter of far less moment than the conservative influence which the Whig party can always exert when it chooses to move in solid phalanx in favor of a National policy.

PROPOSED NEW RAILROAD.—The Wilmington Journal, backed by a correspondent of that paper, proposes a railroad from Enfield to Somerton, on the Virginia line, and thence to the Norfolk and Petersburg road, so as to form a connection on which a through ticket, North and South, might certainly be secured. At present, the Virginia roads are an obstacle to the formation of such a ticket, and the consequence is that the through travel is diverted to other routes. The proposed road would be parallel with, and only 10 or 15 miles from, the Seaboard and Roanoke road. It is to be hoped that some mode will be adopted to obviate the necessity for two roads so near each other. The million of dollars it would cost might do a great deal of good in some destitute part of the State.

FROM MEMPHIS TO NORFOLK, DIRECT.—A car load of cotton was transported from Memphis, Tennessee, to Norfolk, Virginia, recently in less than four days, without breaking bulk.

Beaufort, in our State, is nearer to Memphis, and a better port than Norfolk. We hope some day to see them in direct connection.

AMPUTATION.—Young Peterson, of Sampson, who accidentally shot himself in the arm in this town a fortnight ago, was obliged to suffer the amputation of the limb just below the shoulder, on Friday last. He is now in a fair way to survive the accident.

TORNADO.—A tornado visited the vicinity of Salem on Tuesday last, destroying houses, fences, and timber. We learn from the Press that it passed through a narrow strip, from one to ten miles from Salem, leveling every thing in its course. Mr. Robert Masten's barn and crib were unroofed, and his dwelling slightly injured. Similar damage at Mr. Coleman Jenkins's, and ten other plantations suffered more or less.

The cloud, says the Press, presented a very singular appearance, resembling a heavy body of smoke or fog, which would ascend and descend, at intervals, with a strange noise. In its ascent it carried with it, high in the air, tree tops, branches, leaves, fence rails, &c., and descending prostrated everything which came in its way.

PLAN OF A NEW BANK.—We copy from the Standard a scheme of a Bank, intended by its author to answer the double purpose of supplying the vacuum soon to be created by the expiration of the charter of the present Bank of the State, and of providing for the payment of that part of the State debt which will fall due within the next two years. It is a subject of great interest, which should be discussed in the calm spirit in which it is treated by "A Citizen." In some of his views we concur. It is neither necessary nor expedient, for instance, to add $350,000 a year for two years to the present amount of taxation for the purpose of paying off the $700,000 due in those two years. In the first place, there is a Sinking Fund, which will doubtless be sufficient to absorb at least $100,000 of the $700,000. Then it is more than probable that a large number of the holders of the remainder will be willing if not glad to surrender them for new bonds, to run ten, twenty, or thirty years more. For the amount not thus provided for, whatever it may be, it will not do, we think, to rely upon a Bank such as "A Citizen" suggests. The inducements to individuals to invest money in a bank according to his plan are not strong, and we shall be greatly surprised if the stock is taken, should the Legislature charter it.

The School and University funds alluded to by "A Citizen" are, we suppose, the amounts invested in the present Bank of the State, viz: School Fund $502,700, University $100,000. The stock of the bank, therefore, will consist of $602,700 on the part of the State and $1,897,300 on the part of individuals. Instead of a yearly tax, the bank is to lend the State $200,000 without interest. That item amounts to a yearly tax of $12,000. Next, the bank is to redeem $500,000 of State bonds—lock up so much of its capital—and receive 6 per cent. interest from the State. The bank is not to operate upon $2,500,000, but upon $2,000,000. It is, however, to pay dividends upon $2,500,000. That is, the State itself borrows all it puts in, pays 4½ per cent. on what it borrows, and comes in for a full share of the profits of the individual investments, which the writer seems to expect will be more than 8 per cent. Then if the bank should happen, in spite of all this (a most improbable supposition, we admit,) to make more than 8 per cent. in any year, the excess is to go the State. And finally, a contingent fund of from $120,000 to $175,000 is to be provided as a gift to the State when the charter expires. Suppose the charter to be for 30 years, this item would amount to from $4,000 to $6,000 a year.

We say nothing of the requirement not to pay out any but its own notes, which would oblige the bank either to refuse to receive the notes of other banks or to send agents all over the country to get such notes redeemed.

Nor will we offer any comment on another feature of "A Citizen's" plan, which must have slipped in through inadvertence, viz: that "as the bonds shall be redeemed the amount paid to become stock in the bank." That is: The bank is to pay $500,000 of the State's debt. The State thus becomes indebted to the Bank, instead of individuals, for that amount. Well, the State, when redeeming this debt and taking up its bonds, is to receive besides stock in the Bank to the amount of $500,000. The writer of course could not have intended that the Bank should *give* the State $500,000 in addition to all the other bonuses. Yet such is his language, as will be seen.

Altogether we think the prospect would not be tempting to capitalists, and the Legislature would do well to make some more reliable provision for the payment of its debts.

The experience of the past two sessions of the Legislature should suffice to show that it is useless to pass charters thus burdened with restrictions and taxes. The present Bank of the State, which, being already established, could better afford to accept such a charter than a new one, has twice rejected what we believe to have been more favorable terms than those now proposed.

It is understood that all parties engaged in the Administration of the State government fully admit the indispensable necessity of such an institution as the present Bank of the State. Without it the Treasury could not have maintained the credit of the State. Will it not be wise, therefore, at once to give a liberal charter either to the present Bank, which has been so accommodating to the authorities, or to a new one in its place?

We speak without any party or pecuniary feeling in the matter, but merely for what we believe to be the good of the State.

THE ELECTIONS.—The Republicans have carried the day, except in Illinois and Delaware. Wherever the contest was between the Republicans and the Administration Democrats, the latter have been defeated. Douglas alone beats the Republicans, and at the same time beats the Administration also.

NEW YORK.—Morgan, Republican, elected Governor by about 20,000. For Congress, 28 Republicans to 5 Democrats, instead of 21 and 12 as at present. For the Legislature, a majority of Republicans.

In the city of New York, the Democratic vote was 40,561, Republican 21,769, American 6,954.

MASSACHUSETTS.—Banks, Republican, re-elected Governor, all the Congressmen and a large majority of the Legislature, of the same party.

DELAWARE.—The Democratic majority for Governor and Congressmen is about 200.

NEW JERSEY.—4 Republicans and 1 anti-Lecompton Democrat elected to Congress. At present, 3 Democrats and 2 Opposition.

ILLINOIS.—The enemies of Douglas admit that he has carried a majority of the Legislature, which secures his re-election to the U. S. Senate. For Congress, 4 Republicans and 5 Douglas Democrats are elected, in place of 4 Republicans and 5 Democrats.

MICHIGAN.—The Republicans have carried this State.

THE NEXT CONGRESS.—The Washington Union sums up the members elected to the next Congress as follows, compared with the present:—

Present Congress 52 Democrats, 11 Anti-Lecompton Democrats, 85 Republicans, 2 Americans.

Next Congress, 34 Democrats, 12 Anti-Lecompton Democrats, 104 Republicans.

119 will be a majority of the House.

WHAT A CHANGE!—The Washington Union has for months past been denouncing Judge Douglas as a traitor to the democratic party. Since his triumph in Illinois, the Union is discussing the propriety of yielding to Judge Douglas on the only two points as to which, according to the Union, he differs from the democracy, and of "allowing to him a high position in the party"!!

Success converts a rebellion into a revolution, but we never before saw it confessed that success converted a traitor to democracy into a democrat. The party finds that it can't afford to lose Douglas.

NORTH AND SOUTH.—Two very remarkable speeches have recently been delivered and published—one by Senator Seward of New York, and the other by Senator Hammond of South Carolina. The former proclaims a war of extermination against the peculiar institution of the South; the latter argues that the South, united, is stronger than it ever was—strong enough to defy the North and the world. Senator Hammond argues that as England and France have openly abandoned their free labor views, in all but the name, by instituting that worst of all species of slavery, the coolie system, so those views are dying out at the North also, and will be totally extinguished if we succeed in beating the North in the Presidential elections of 1860 and 1864, which he appears to consider pretty certain.

To us, we confess, the prospect is not so flattering. The speech of Mr. Seward itself seems to us the strongest contradiction of that view of the matter. This distinguished and ambitious man was silent as to the South for some years after the delivery of his "higher law" speech, and the public had begun to hope that he had modified his opinions. Even the black republican party appeared to have lost confidence in him, and looked about for new leaders, in the persons of Fremont, Chase, Wilson, &c. But within the last year Seward has renewed his attacks upon the South, with a vast increase of bitterness. He knows what he is about. He knows that he is on the strong side. And the elections tell too plainly that he is right. Mr. Hammond will scarcely realize his expectations. What then? He prepares his constituents for the worst, by plainly avowing his readiness to resist any oppression or assault, from any quarter.

Gov. Hammond says that he was opposed to the Administration's Kansas policy, but yielded his opinion to that of the Southern people. He is still opposed to the acquisition of Cuba, the absorption of Mexico, or other territory, and to the revival of the slave trade.

DIVIDEND.—The bank of Wadesboro' has declared a semi-annual dividend of five per cent.

MARRIED,

In Wilmington, on the 3d inst., at St. James's Church, by Rev. Dr. Drane, Mr. NICHOLAS W. SCHENCK to Miss MARY ELIZA, daughter of Richard Morris, Esq. all of Wilmington.

In New Hanover Co., on the 2d inst., by Rev. Dr. Deems, Mr. JOHN A. CORBETT to Miss CALEDONIA E., daughter of Bryant Newkirk, Esq.

In Sampson county, N. C., on Thursday, the 28th of October, by the Rev. John L. Clifton, Mr. JOHN W. WEAKS to Miss ANN, daughter of Mr. John Bass.

Biblical Recorder will please copy.

On the 3d inst., at the residence of Mr. A. M. Lamb, by M. C. Collins, Esq., Mr. WILLIAM A. WILLIAMSON, of Sampson county, to Mrs. MARGARET P. BUNTING, of New Hanover county.

In Wadesboro' on the 26th ult., by Rev. F. Milton Kennedy, Mr. J. W. WHEELER, to Miss F. E. PATRICK, all of that place.

In Anson county, on the 24th ult., by N. M. Hubbard, Esq., Mr. JAMES L. SINCLAIR, to Miss SARAH ANN REDFEARN, daughter of Capt. T. H. Redfearn, all of Anson county.

In Union county, on the 21st ult., by E. W. Liles, Esq., Mr. JOHN S. GRIFFIN, to Miss EMELINE GADDY, daughter of P. Gaddy, deceased, all of Union.

DIED,

In Wadesboro' on the 26th ult. Rev. J. W. FALKNER, after a protracted illness. He was born January 12, 1829.

In Wadesboro', on the 25th ult., in the twenty-third year of his age, HIRAM TWITTY, son of Hiram and Middie Twitty, of Lancaster district, South Carolina.

In Bethlehem, Pa., Mrs. A. DESCHWEINITZ, relict of the late Rev. Lewis DeSchweinitz, formerly a resident of Salem.

FAYETTEVILLE MARKET.—November 8.

BACON—	12	a 12½	American	6	a 0
BEESWAX—	25	a 00	English	4	a 0
CANDLES—F. F.	20	a 00	LARD—	13	a 14
Adamantine	28	a 32	LEAD—	8	8½
Sperm	00	a 00	MOLASSES—		
COFFEE—Rio	12½	a 13½	Cuba	30	a 31
Laguira	15	a 16	N. Orleans,	45	a 50
Java	20	a 00	NAILS—	4½	a 5
COTTON—			OIL—Linseed	1 00	a 0 00
Fair to good,	10	a 10½	Tanner's	0 70	a 1 00
Ordin. to mid.		a	SALT—		
COTTON BAGGING—			Liv. Sack,	1 25	a 0 00
Gunny,	18	a 20	Alum	0 60	a 0 00
Dundee,	18	a 20	FLAXSEED	1 00	a 0 00
COTTON YARN—			SHOT—		
No. 5 to 10	20	a 00	Com. pr bag	2 25	a 0 00
DOMESTIC GOODS—			Buck	2 25	a 2 50
Brown Sheetings	8½	a 0	SPIRITS—		
Osnaburgs	10½	a 00	P. Brandy,	1 00	a 0 00
FEATHERS—	35	a 40	N. C. Apple	0 75	a 0 80
FLOUR—			Northern do.	0 70	a 0 80
Family,	6 25	a 0 00	N. C. Whiskey	65	a 0 00
Super.	6 00	a 6 25	Northern do.	35	a 0 00
Fine,	5 75	a 0 00	SUGARS—		
Scratched,	5 50	a 0 00	Loaf	15	a 00
GRAIN—			Crushed	13	a 13½
Corn,	80	a 90	Coffee	10	a 11½
Wheat,	95	a 0 00	Porto Rico	10	a 00
Rye,	90	a 1 00	New Orleans	00	a 00
Oats,	0 45	a 0 50	TALLOW—	10	a 00
Peas,	0 75	a 0	WOOL—	18	a 19
HIDES—Dry	8	a 10	TURPENTINE—		
Green	4	a 00	Yellow dip,	2 60	a 0 00
IRON—			Virgin,	2 60	a 0 00
Swedes, com. bar	6½	a 0	Hard,	1 40	a 0 00
Ditto, wide	7½	a 0	Spirits,	44	a 00
PERUVIAN GUANO—					
5 tons and upwards,	$65 per ton,				
A less quantity,	70 " "				of 2000 lbs.

REVIEW OF THE MARKET.

Cotton—We again reduce our figures, and the late news will cause a further reduction.

Flour—Slightly lower.

Corrected by JAMES G. COOK.

WILMINGTON MARKET.—Nov. 6, 1858.

Virgin and Yellow Turpentine 3 10, hard 1 75. Spirits 47. No sales of Rosin. Tar 2 25.

At New York, Southern Flour dull and heavy, at $5 to 6 75 for good, 6 90 to $9 for fancy. Corn 68 to 70. Cotton has fallen; middling uplands 11¼. Spirits Turpentine 52½ to 53. Common Rosin 1 60 to 1 65; No. 2, 1 75 to 2 06; Fine $5 to $6.

FOR SALE.

300 BAGS ALUM SALT—2 bushels each. By GEO. W. WILLIAMS & CO.

Nov'r 6. 61tf

Presbyterian and Carolinian copy.

NOTICE.

SEALED Proposals for the Steward's Hall at Floral College will be received until the first Saturday in December next, when an election will be held.

M. C. McNAIR, Sec'y.

Nov. 5, 1858. 61*tlstSD.

NOTICE.

ON the 17th Nov'r, at the Court House, in Fayetteville, about 2 o'clock, I will sell publicly or privately TWO ROAD WAGONS and EIGHT MULES, in good working order, GEAR and SADDLES in a passable condition for use. Terms made known at the sale.

J. H. FARRAR.

Carbonton, Nov. 5, 1858. 61-2tpd

LAND FOR SALE.

THE subscriber offers for sale TWO HUNDRED ACRES of LAND, lying in the county of Robeson, on the East side of Long Swamp, adjoining the Lands of A. Leach and others. This land is well adapted to Corn, Cotton, Wheat and Oats—very little cleared—and well Timbered and is near the Wilmington & Charlotte Railroad; those wishing to purchase said land by calling on Mr. McCormick who lives on the premises will take pleasure to exhibit it or give any information if desired; a bargain may be had if applied soon. Terms moderate—for further particulars address the subscriber, Gibson's Store, Richmond County, N. C.

A. S. McNEILL.

Nov. 5, 1858. 61*6t-p't-pd.

AGRICULTURAL FAIR.

AT a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Richmond Agricultural Society, held 23d ult., the following Committees were appointed to act as Judges and award Premiums at the Fair to be held on the 23d, 24th and 25th inst., viz:

AGRICULTURE.—J P Leak, Col C Malloy, S J Gibson.

HORSES AND MULES.—Maj D K Munroe, R Fletcher, D M McLaurin.

HOGS.—Stafford Gibson, J H McLean, R N Fairly.

CATTLE AND SHEEP.—D White, Col M McKinnon, J P Smith.

POULTRY.—J G Blue, Esq, D Middleton, D Johnson.

HORTICULTURE.—Rev J P McPherson, J McKay, Dr D Shaw.

FARMING UTENSILS.—Jas Leach, M McIntosh, J Stalker.

MECHANICS.—H McColl, M Morrison, J Johnson.

CABINET WORK.—D P McKinnon, J McGirt, D K Campbell.

CARRIAGES AND WAGONS.—D W Livingston, D McCormick, R Monroe.

DAIRY.—Maj J McNeill, Mrs Dr Patterson, Mrs Wm Buchanan, Mrs J P McPherson.

SALT PROVISIONS.—Rev Tho Gibson, P McRae, M McNeill, L W McLaurin.

FOOD, CONDIMENTS, &c.—J McMillan, D C McIntyre, Mrs M McIntosh, Mrs Dr Malloy, Mrs Dr Dickson, Miss S Livingstone.

HOUSEHOLD FABRICS.—Dr John Malloy, John Shortridge, Mrs R N Fairly, Mrs E Gilchrist, Miss E Stalker.

MILL FABRICS.—D McLaurin, Esq, M W McNair, A Johnson.

PATCH WORK.—H McArn, A Blue, E McNair, Miss J E McLauchlin, Miss A McIntosh, Miss E J Fairly.

FANCY NEEDLE-WORK.—Dr O P Luther, L Blue, Esq, Miss M A McLaurin, Mrs J H McLean, Miss A C Shaw.

PAINTING.—J B Buchanan, W McIntosh, Miss S A Patterson, Miss N Monroe, Miss S G McLean, Miss M C K McNeill.

FLOWERS.—J McDuffie, L McNeill; Miss A McLean, Miss C A McMillan, Miss J Stewart, Miss C Blue, Miss J M McNair.

TROTTING HORSES.—Wm McFarland, J C McLaurin, J C Graham.

DISCRETIONARY PREMIUMS.—Col A Shaw, Jas H Patterson, D C Stewart.

JOHN W. LEAK will deliver the Annual Address.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

Nov. 5. 61-2t

The Executive Committee of the Robeson County Agricultural Society have appointed the following Committees to award Premiums at the Fourth Annual Fair, to be held at Red Springs, on the 17th, 18th and 19th inst., viz:

AGRICULTURE.—Col A McEachern, Col T J Morrisey, Thomas Graham.

HORSES, MULES, &c.—Daniel McNeill, A McEachern, jr, Dugald M Currie.

CATTLE, SHEEP, HOGS, &c.—Daniel C McNeill, John McMillan, Neill McN

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to M. W. McNair are requested to make immediate payment; also, those indebted to the subscribers are requested to make early payments.

Being desirous to get off our stock of Seasonable Goods, we shall, from now until the 1st of January, sell all DRY GOODS AT COST to those paying cash.

M. W. McNAIR & CO.

Nov. 1, 1858. 59*3t

RICHMOND AGRICULTURAL FAIR.

THE 2d Annual Meeting of this Society, will be **HELD AT LAUREL HILL,**

On the last Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of November next.

All articles for exhibition, with a view to Premiums, must be entered on Tuesday, or at farthest by 12 o'clock Wednesday, and to be left until the Exhibition is over. This rule must be strictly carried out.

We invite all the citizens, not only of our own County, but all adjoining Counties, to bring their fine Stock and all useful Implements of every kind and nature, and compete for our Premiums, which will be impartially awarded.

The fair portion of the country are particularly invited to bring all their beautiful works along with them, especially all manufactured within the present year, as none other can compete for Premiums.

D. JOHNSON, Sec'y.

Oct'r 18. 57*3t

HILLSBOROUGH Military Academy.

ON JANUARY 12th, 1859, the Institution above-named, will be opened at Hillsborough, N. C., to be conducted in chief by Captain C. C. TEW, now Superintendent of the State Military Academy at Columbia, South Carolina, and Mr. W. D. GAILLARD, a graduate of the South Carolina Military Academy, and an instructor of approved experience. The drill, discipline, and course of studies, will assimilate as nearly as practicable to those of the Virginia and South Carolina State Military Institutions. The studies of the first two years, or preparatory course, will be, Arithmetic, Algebra, English Grammar, History of the United States, History of England, Ancient History, Mythology, Geography, French and Latin. The details of the advanced course will be announced hereafter.

The Academic year will continue uninterruptedly from January 12th to the 4th week in November.

The charge will be $300 per annum, payable as follows: $100 at the commencement of the Academic year; $100 on May 1st, and $100 on August 1st, for which the Academy will provide Instruction, Text Books, Stationery, Quarters, Board, Fuel, Lights, Washing, Clothing (except shirts, drawers and socks,) and Medical attendance.

No pupil will be admitted under 13 or over 18 years of age, or who cannot read and write with facility.

☞ For further information address the undersigned, at Columbia, S. C., until January 1st; after that date at Hillsborough, N. C. C. C. TEW.

Sept. 28. 53-*12t

FARM FOR SALE.

323 ACRES of valuable Land for sale, lying 4 miles North-west of High Point Depot, on the N. C. Railroad, 9 miles from Normal College, 16 miles from Salem, and 13 miles from Greensboro', The situation is very healthy, with good, moral, intelligent neighbors. 200 acres are in a state of fine cultivation, and the balance fine wood land. Deep River running through about the middle of the Farm, and two creeks running into the river on the same, affords about 115 or 120 acres of the best bottom land perhaps in the State; all in a state of fine cultivation with the exception of about 15 or 18 acres of the best kind of meadow land, in a very fine condition.

There is on the Farm, a good two-story BRICK DWELLING, good Kitchens and Smoke-House, a large Barn, Stables, Cribs, and all necessary out-houses; among them are two houses suitable for overseers or croppers: an extraordinary Spring near and convenient to the House, and seven or eight Springs on different parts of the Farm; fine Orchard, both peach and apple.

The subscriber being desirous to remove to Texas this Fall, will sell on reasonable terms in regard to both price and time. J. K. PINNIX.

Sept 13, 1858. 46-*2m

$200 REWARD.

RANAWAY from the subscriber in Robeson county, on or about the 20th of July, 1858, my Negro Boy PETER. He is about 25 years old, weighing about 200 pounds; say 5 feet 11 inches high, quick spoken, dark complexion, and limps a little in one of his legs, perhaps the right. I will give $100 for his safe confinement in any jail in North Carolina, or his delivery to me in Robeson county; and a reward of $100 more for sufficient evidence that will convict any person or persons who may be harboring said slave or assisting him, either directly or indirectly, to make his escape to some free State. He is supposed to be lurking in Robeson and Bladen counties.

ARCHIBALD PURCELL.

Robeson Co., Sept. 28, 1858. 51*tf

RICHARDSON'S IRISH LINENS, DAMASKS, DIAPERS, &c.

CONSUMERS of Richardson's Linens, and those desirous of obtaining the genuine goods, should see that the articles they purchase are sealed with the full name of the firm, RICHARDSON, SONS & OWDEN, as a guarantee of the soundness and durability of the goods.

This caution is rendered essentially necessary as large quantities of inferior and defective Linens are prepared, season after season, and sealed with the name of RICHARDSON, by Irish Houses, who, regardless of the injury thus inflicted alike on the American consumer and the manufacturers of the genuine goods, will not readily abandon a business so profitable, while purchasers can be imposed on with goods of a worthless character.

J. BULLOCKE & J. B. LOCKE,
Agents, 36 Church St., New York.

Sept'r 24. 49*lypdómos

FIFTY DOLLARS REWARD.

THE subscriber lost between the Toll House on Hay Mount, and the one 12 miles from Town on the Fay. & W. Plank Road, his POCKET BOOK, containing a considerable amount of Money and some valuable papers. The above reward will be paid for its delivery with contents at the Fayetteville Book Store, or to me at Carthage. ANGUS R. KELLY.

Fayetteville, Sep. 11, 1858. 45*tf

LAND FOR SALE.

THE subscriber offers for sale his LANDS IN RICHMOND COUNTY, situated two miles East of Laurinburgh and eight miles West of Floral College, and two miles from the Depot on the Wil., Char. & Ruth. Rail Road. The said tract contains Four Hundred and Thirty Acres. There is on the premises a good DWELLING, and all necessary out-houses, with a GIN HOUSE, and every thing to render the Plantation convenient and desirable. Terms, one, two and three years credit.

JAMES R. McLAURIN.

Oct'r 9. 53-*1m

NOTICE.

APPLICATION will be made to the next Legislature to establish a new County, out of portions of Wayne, Duplin, Sampson and Johnston.

MANY CITIZENS.

Oct'r 9, 1858. 58tGA

LAND FOR SALE.

THE Subscriber offers for sale One Thousand Acres of LAND lying in the County of Robeson, 10 miles West of Lumberton, near the Wilmington and Charlotte Rail Road; well Timbered either for Turpentine or Ton Timber. If not previously disposed of, will be sold at Public Auction, on Monday of November Court. For further information apply to the subscriber. T. R. McNEILL.

Oct. 16, 1858. 54*6w

THE COPARTNERSHIP

HERETOFORE existing between COUNCIL & McKEITHAN is this day Dissolved by mutual consent The business of the late firm will be settled by Daniel McKeithan.

JOHN T. COUNCIL,
DANIEL McKEITHAN.

Oct'r 25, 1858. 57*3t

We will sell the balance of our STOCK OF GOODS at AUCTION, commencing on the 8th November and continue from day to day until finished.

JOHN T. COUNCIL,
DANIEL McKEITHAN.

Oct'r 25. 57*2t

JOSEPH R. BLOSSOM. COMMISSION AND FORWARDING MERCHANT, *Wilmington, N. C.*

☞ Prompt personal attention given to all Consignments, and Cash advances made on Produce to be shipped to other ports or sold in this market.

Feb. 12, 1855. 67

MILITARY GOODS,

Swords, Sashes, Belts, Epaulettes, Laces AND EVERY DESCRIPTION OF MILITARY GOODS,

ACCORDING TO THE

Latest U. S. Army and State Regulations.

SCHUYLER, HARTLEY & GRAHAM,
IMPORTERS & MANUFACTURERS,
19 MAIDEN LANE,
New York.

June 30. 24-1y

LAND FOR SALE.

I OFFER for sale 640 Acres of LAND, lying on the West side of Cape Fear River, two miles below Fayetteville, and extending from the river into the sand-hills. This tract is about equally divided into river-ridge, swamp and sand-hill Land. About 80 acres, adjoining the river, are under cultivation and are well suited to the growth of Corn and Grass: none of the Swamp has been cleared. There are several good sites for a dwelling house on the sand-hills. Any person wishing to purchase will do well to make early application, as I have determined to sell.

THOMAS J. ROBINSON.

Sept. 8, 1858. 44-tf

Dr. Frank Williams's Rye Whiskey.

R. MITCHELL has made arrangements with Dr. Frank Williams, to be constantly supplied with his celebrated RYE WHISKEY, which can be had at his Store at all times, by wholesale or retail.

Oct'r 11, 1858. 56tf

DENTISTRY.

Thos. M. Watson,

HAVING decided on permanently locating at Floral College, respectfully informs the citizens of this place and surrounding country that he is prepared to operate in all the various branches of Surgeon Dentistry, and will be happy to attend all calls in his Profession at any time. Prices moderate. Satisfaction guarantied.

July 29. 33tf

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

I OFFER for sale my RESIDENCE on Hay-mount. For health there is no place to excel it There is a fine well of water in the yard. Description is useless. Also, the LOT East of my Store.

The above property, if not disposed of at private sale, will be sold at auction on Thursday, 21st October.

JAS. G. COOK.

Fayetteville, Sept. 6. 43-

6,500 ACRES OF LAND FOR SALE.

THE Subscriber desiring to move to the West offers to sell the following tracts of valuable land.

1 Tract containing 2566 acres in Harnett County 18 miles North of Fayetteville. There is on this tract, two large and comfortable dwelling houses, with all necessary outhouses, together with a good mill running two saws and grist, with about 300 acres cleared and in a high state of cultivation: the remainder is excellent farming and turpentine land.

Also another tract containing 4000 acres of turpentine land, about 100 acres of which is cleared. There is on this tract one good dwelling with all necessary out houses and a good grist and saw-mill.

I will take pleasure in showing the above property to any person wishing to purchase.

H. S. McNEILL.
Manchester P. O.

Nov. 7th, 1857. 67-ts

ALABAMA LAND FOR SALE.

THE Subscriber offers for sale THIRTY-FIVE HUNDRED ACRES of Land in as healthy a section as there is in Alabama.

FORTY ACRES, on which are a good Dwelling and all necessary out-houses, in good repair.

ONE HUNDRED and SIXTY ACRES, good river bottom land, 100 acres of which is under cultivation and produces fine crops of Cotton and Corn.

NINE HUNDRED and SIXTY ACRES Creek and Pine land, on which is some good farming land.

TWENTY-THREE HUNDRED and FORTY ACRES Pine land, well suited for Turpentine getting.

This property will be sold cheap and on accommodating terms.

Address the subscriber at Mount Pleasant P. O., Monroe County, Alabama.

WILLIAM W. ENGLISH.

March 11, 1858. 92-1y

LAND FOR SALE.

JOHN T. GILMORE now offers for sale a portion of his swamp lands in the county of Cumberland about 14 miles below Fayetteville, and about 1½ miles East of the Cape Fear River. The entire swamp has been successfully drained, of the large body of water by which it was heretofore covered. The land is apparently level, being free from ridges (which are so common to swamp lands generally,) whilst there is an abundance of fall, by which the rain water can be carried off by ordinary ditches. A small portion of the land has been in cultivation about 7 years, and those persons who have seen the crops regard the land as equal in fertility to any they have seen in this State or elsewhere. The location is healthy, the neighborhood good, and the access to Fayetteville and Wilmington easy by means of a good road 1½ miles in length leading directly to the river. Besides this, it is within 3 miles of a beautiful little village, upon a high and healthy Bluff, at the river, with a Store, Ware-house and first-rate landing. All which afford many conveniences to the neighborhood. As several persons have spoken of purchasing, this is deemed a proper time to call their attention to the subject, inasmuch as there is a crop now growing upon a small portion of the land, by which they can judge of its production. ☞ Reasonable terms will be given to the purchaser.

Sept. 10, 1858. 45tf

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

THE DWELLING HOUSE, recently occupied by Mrs. H. P. Lain, and as present occupied by the Rev. James McDaniel, near Haymount, will be sold privately by the subscriber. It is located in a good neighborhood; convenient to business; in a healthy section of the town; good spring water convenient; and has all necessary out houses attached. A great bargain may be had, as I am determined to sell. TERMS LIBERAL. J. R. McDONALD, Agt.

Fayetteville, May 19. 12ts

LANDS FOR SALE.

I OFFER for sale about 6000 Acres of Pine Lands near Fayetteville, containing an immense quantity of Mill Timber, and a number of Turpentine Boxes, and several new tasks may be cut. There is on the premises a fine Dwelling House, and all necessary outhouses,—Scuppernong and Isabella Grape Vines,—1000 young Peach and Apple Trees of Lindley's best varities; also, a good FARM of about 150 acres cleared; and also a GRIST and SAW MILL; and a fine large Meadow of about 140 acres. The Fayetteville and Coal Fields Rail Road passes through these lands about a mile from the Mills. I will sell in parcels to suit purchasers, but would prefer to sell the whole together. Apply to Thos. S. Lutterloh, Esq., Fayetteville, or the subscriber at Pittsborough, N. C.

J. H. HAUGHTON.

Nov. 12, 1857. 60-tf

690 ACRES OF LAND FOR SALE.

THE Subscriber offers for sale the above quantity of Land, situated in a healthy neighborhood, three miles from the Wilmington and Charlotte Rail Road, and four from Lumber River. This Land is well adapted to Farming, Turpentine, and Ton Timber purposes, having a good range and other advantages. Those wishing to purchase may find me on the premises, who will be happy to exhibit it or give any information concerning it desired.

ANGUS McGILL.

Philadelphus, N. C., Sept. 1, 1857. 40tf

Just Received.

50 BARRELS SUGAR, Crushed and Granulated;
75 Bags COFFEE, Rio, Laguira and Java;
700 Sacks SALT; 20 Bbls. FISH;
75 Kegs NAILS; Trace Chains;
Steel Hoes; Leather; Buckets;
Brooms; Twine; Plough-Lines; Bed-Cords;
Bagging; Rope: Hoop Iron;
Ale; Porter; Candies; Candles; Cheese;
Fine Tea; &c., &c.

For sale by C. T. HAIGH & SONS.

Oct'r 4, 1858. 52-6w

CAROLINA CITY, N. C.

THE Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad being now completed to Beaufort Harbor, I have determined to locate at Carolina City for the purpose of doing a

Forwarding and General Commission BUSINESS,

and hope by promptness and strict attention to merit patronage and support. Being the Agent of MURRAY'S LINE OF FIRST CLASS PACKETS to this and Morehead city, every effort will be made to make this the cheapest and most expeditious route to New York. Vessels will be loaded and discharged at my Wharf (adjoining the Railroad Wharf,) and thereby save cartage and lighterage. Particular attention will be given to all orders, and to the sale and shipment of Produce.

WM. B. GRANT.

July 29, 1858. 32-1y

TO PLANTERS AND FARMERS.

THE UNDERSIGNED has been appointed sole Agent in North Carolina, for the sale of Kettlewell's Celebrated Fertilizers and Renovators of worn out lands.

They comprise his MANIPULATED GUANO, No. 1 and 2. "RENOVATOR," (Guano and Land Salt) No. 1 and 2. "KETTLEWELL'S SALTS" and "LAND PLASTER" of superior quality.

Mitchell & Croesdale's highly improved "SUPER PHOSPHATE OF LIME." These fertilizers, where they have been tried, require no recommendations, but take the lead of Guano and all the Fertilizers and Renovators of the soil.

Pamphlets descriptive of the articles, with certificates of their virtues, prices, &c., will be furnished by mail, to such as desire them, by application to

H. NUTT,
Sole Ag't for the State of N. Ca.

Wilmington, Sept. 25. 49-3m.

GROCERIES AT WHOLESALE.

I HAVE just received in store my Fall Stock, embracing the following articles, viz:

125 Bags Coffee.
65 Bbls. and Hhds. Sugar—assorted.
65 " Pork.
50 Boxes good Tobacco.
75 " Candy.
30 ½ Bbls. Snuff—Eagle Mills.
75 Boxes Crackers.

All of which will be sold for CASH, or on short time to the best of men.

E. F. MOORE & CO.

Sept. 9, 1858. 44-tf

HIGH MOUNT TANNERY.

SITUATED 4 MILES WEST OF WADESBORO', ANSON COUNTY, N. C.

NOW the panic is over and nobody killed in these diggins, the undersigned still continues to conduct the general Tanning and Manufacturing of all kinds of Leather, Harness, Saddles, Bridles, Boots and Shoes, of every size and description—of the very best material. PLANTATION premium BROGANS, NOT to be surpassed. All of which he offers and proposes to sell or exchange for Raw Hides, Beeswax, Tallow, and all kinds of country produce, on terms to justify and accommodate his customers according to the times.

Having on hand constantly a large supply of Stock, he is prepared to execute all orders neatly and promptly, with such material and workmanship as are not to be excelled by any establishment of the kind in this part of the country in style, quality or price, for cash or to punctual customers. And in returning his sincere thanks to his customers and friends generally for their former patronage, he solicits andhopes to still merit a continuance of their favors.

JAMES C. CARAWAY.

March 4. 90-t1Japd

CHAMPION'S PILLS.

WE would call the attention of persons afflicted with Chills and Fevers to this celebrated Pill, which owes its popularity to no puffing, nor to long, windy certificates—but solely to its own merits as a remedy which never fails to cure when taken according to directions accompanying each box. This Pill, unlike many others, contains no mineral, nor any injurious ingredient, and may be administered with perfect safety at all times, to young or old.

As a preventive against Chills, or any other type of Fever, it is recommended as unsurpassed; and in treatment of Fevers generally it is far superior to Quinine, or any preparation of Peruvian bark. A trial of its merits is all that is needed to insure it a favorable position in the estimation of even the most inveterate opposer of Proprietary or Patent prescriptions.

CHAMPION'S ANTI-BILIOUS PILLS

Enjoy the reputation of being at least as good, if not better, than any of the various cathartic Pills of the age, and are entirely free from all poisonous, mineral, or other injurious properties, and are highly recommended in Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Sick Headache, Sick Stomach, Habitual Costiveness, Indigestion, &c., and diseases of the Stomach, Liver, Bowels and Blood generally, they being by their composition equally adapted to either of the above cases as a general cathartic, good at all times when such medicines are required. We recommend them to the attention of all persons. Prepared by

F. M. SWYER & CO.,
Belleville, Illinois.

Sold by SAMUEL J. HINSDALE, Fayetteville, N. C.

Also, in all the towns and cities, and by numerous country agents throughout the southern and western States and Territories.

F. M. SWYER & Co.,
Proprietors, Belleville, Ill's.

June 3, 1858. 16-6m

EDGEWORTH FEMALE SEMINARY, *GREENSBORO', N. C.*

THE Scholastic year is divided into two Sessions, commencing 1st August and 1st January.

The course of study is thorough and systematic, embracing everything necessary to a complete, solid, and ornamental education. The buildings are so arranged as to combine the comforts of a home, with the advantages of a school. Instructors of the highest qualifications are employed in each of the Departments. No Institution in the country possesses advantages superior to Edgeworth.

TERMS:

Board, including washing, lights, and fuel, per Session of five months, $60 00
Tuition in the Regular Classes, 20 00

The next Session will commence on Monday, August 2d, 1858. Pupils are admitted at any time during the Session, and charged from the time of entrance.

Catalogues containing all necessary information respecting the Course of Instruction, Terms, &c., will be forwarded on application to

RICHARD STERLING, *Principal.*
Greensboro', N. Carolina.

May 28, 1858. 17-6mospd

WATER WHEELS! WATER WHEELS!!

WE are now manufacturing Vandewater's Improved

JONVAL TURBINE WATER WHEEL,

for Mills and Factories of every description; and all those wishing to improve their water power will find it for their interest to address us by letter, stating the number of feet, head and fall; their usual amount of water; the kind of machinery to be driven. We can then give them price of wheel, or what we will furnish Wheel and principal Gears for, warranted to do a certain amount of work. *Time given to test the Wheel*, and if it does not come up to our figure, the Wheel and Gears to be delivered to us at the mill of the purchaser. REFERENCE GIVEN AND REQUIRED.

HEATH & STEVENSON,
Laurel Factory, Prince George's county, Md.
ROBERT BAIRD, Agent, Richmond, Va.

SMALL POX DEAD.

GENTLEMEN, you that wish to sell Likely Young NEGROES, Men, Boys, Women and Girls, for the highest cash prices, would do well to give me a call, or address me at Clinton, N. C.

J. A. McARTHUR.

June 5, 1858. 17-8mos.pd

THE LARGEST MANUFACTORY IN THE STATE.

THE subscriber begs leave to return his thanks for the liberal patronage heretofore extended to him, and informs the public that he has now and will continue to have an increased force of experienced Saddle and Harness Makers, whose work he will warrant; and that he is prepared to offer to the public a large and varied assortment of every thing kept in his line. His assortment of Saddles, Harness, Bridles, Trunks, Travelling Bags, Valises, &c, is unsurpassed for workmanship and material, and will compare favorably for neatness with any other Manufactory, either North or South. Persons wanting any thing in his line will do him a favor to call and examine his stock before purchasing, as he is satisfied it will not fail to please them. His establishment will be found five doors East of Cape Fear Bank, on Person Street.

☞ Repairing done with neatness and despatch.

W. OVERBY.

Fayetteville, N. C., Oct. 28. 57-6m

VALUABLE PLANTATION *FOR SALE.*

THE subscriber offers for sale the PLANTATION and improvements where he now resides. It is located just below the mouth of Liles' Creek, in Catawba county, near Lewis' Ferry on the Catawba river, adjoining Henderson Sherl, and containing 515 Acres, 150 of which are in cultivation and about 50 acres of that is good Creek and Branch Bottom. The improvements are a comfortable Log Dwelling, a first rate Barn, Stables and stalls for 20 head of horses; Cow sheds, and good Fences. There is upon the place a good GRIST MILL running a pair of Burr and a pair of common Stones. The W. N. C. Railroad passes through the Farm and the Depot is located upon it. It is the most valuable farm in this section of the State.

Will be sold for Cash or exchanged for Negroes.

A. W. WILSON.

Oct. 15, 1858. 57-tf

Chronology of North Carolina, from

1584 to 1858, by D. K. Bennett. Just received.

E. J. HALE & SON.

Oct. 21.

LIME, PLASTER, HAIR AND CEMENT.

THE undersigned hereby give notice that they have become dealers in the above articles. All orders promptly filled, without charge of commission. Terms CASH. T. C. & B. G. WORTH.

Wilmington, N. C., Oct'r 19. 56-4w

The Farmers' and Planters' ALMANAC, for 1859.

For sale by E. J. HALE & SON.

Oct. 21, 1858.

DOBBIN HOUSE.

THIS CONVENIENT AND WELL FURNISHED Establishment was opened for the reception of Boarders on the 12th inst. The subscriber will spare no pains to make all comfortable who may stop at her house. Regular boarders will here find the quiet comfort of home, combined with the advantages to business men of a Hotel.

The stables of Mr. W. C. Troy are in the rear of the Hotel, and travellers may entrust their horses to his care, with the assurance that the best treatment will be bestowed upon them.

MARY ANN POTTER.

Oct. 21, 1858. 56-3m

TO THE PUBLIC.

THE Subscriber having RENTED the Extensive STABLES connected with the Dobbin House, is now prepared to board Horses by the day or month. He has secured the services of an experienced hostler, and promises to give satisfaction to all who may patronize his establishment.

W. C. TROY.

Oct. 21, 1858. 56-3m

DEEP RIVER COAL.

BITUMINOUS COAL of the best quality can be had at the works at Egypt, at a reasonable price by the Ton. WM. McCLANE,
Mining Engineer,

May 21, 1856. 6-tf

THIRTY HANDS WANTED.

THE subscriber wishes to hire by the Month, or Day, Thirty Negroes, to work on the Ninth Section of the Western Rail Road.

For further particulars inquire at the Engineer's Office, Fayetteville, or of me at Little River Bridge.

O'BRYAN & CO.

Aug. 16. 38tf

A FEW BARRELS

CHOICE *old* APPLE BRANDY, suitable for making wine and putting up brandy fruit. For sale by W. H. CARVER.

Aug. 18. 38-

WANTED

75 NEGROES for a Mississippi Plantation, Men, Boys, Girls, and some good Families.

EPHR. PAGE.

Fayetteville, May 6, 1858. 8-tf

Worth & Utley,

Forwarding and General Commission MERCHANTS,

Fayetteville, N. C.

J. A. WORTH. (72tf) JOS. UTLEY.

T. C. & B. G. WORTH,

Commission & Forwarding Merchants,

Brown's Building, Water Street,

Wilmington, N. C.

Usual advances made on consignments.

Nov. 11, 1857. 59-tf

Medical Notice.

DR. H. A. McSWAIN has taken an Office on Anderson Street, in the rear of Messrs. Ray & Pearce's Store, where he can be found by those desiring his Professional services.

August 24, 1858. 40tf

J. WILLIAM PAGE, M. D., *PITTSBOROUGH, N. C.*

DR. PAGE may be found at his office when not professionally engaged.

May 6, 1857. 5tf

R. M. ORRELL, TURPENTINE INSPECTOR.

THOSE sending their Spirits Turpentine to me may rely upon it to have prompt and careful attention. My Warehouses are fronting the Wharves and near the River.

Sept'r 13, 1858. 45-tf

RAIL ROAD NOTICE! TO COUNTRY MERCHANTS.

NEW, CHEAP, AND EXPEDITIOUS ROUTE FOR **Freight for the Interior of North Carolina.**

MERCHANTS and others about purchasing their Fall and Winter Supplies, are requested to notice, that by the completion of the North Eastern Rail Road from Charleston, S. C., to Cheraw, the advantages of a CHEAP and EXPEDITIOUS Route from the Seaboard has been opened to them.

All freight consigned to the care of the Agent of the North Eastern Rail Road will be forwarded FREE OF COMMISSION.

No charge will be made for Storage at Cheraw. All goods will be taken care of in the Company's Warehouse until sent for.

A schedule of charges for transportation of freight will be found at the Post Office.

S. S. SOLOMONS,
Eng'r and Sup't.

Aug. 3. 34tf

COTTON BAGGING.

DUNDEE and GUNNY BAGGING in quantities to suit purchasers. For sale by JAS. G. COOK.

Sept. 17. 48tf

CAPE FEAR BANK STOCK FOR SALE.

FIFTY shares of Cape Fear Bank Stock are offered for sale. For further information apply to A. McLEAN, Cashier.

Fayetteville, Aug. 9, 1858.

CHAIRS, CHAIRS.

A LARGE lot of Stool-bottom Chairs, made at Cool Spring Mill, and for sale by A. M. CAMPBELL.

March 24, '58. 96y

NEW STOCK!

THE Subscribers are now receiving their NEW Stock of

BOOKS and STATIONERY,

which they offer at their customary reasonable prices for cash, or on credit to punctual customers.

Among the goods received to-day is a large stock of CAP, LETTER, and other PAPERS.

E. J. HALE & SON.

Sept'r 27, 1858.

NOTICE.

NO. 1 PERUVIAN GUANO;
400 Casks LIME;
50 Bales HAY;
5 Bbls. GLUE.

For sale by WORTH & UTLEY.

July 10. 27-

CORN AND WHISKEY.

1000 BUSHELS good White Corn.
150 Bbls. Whiskey.
80 " Apple Brandy.
15 " N. E. Rum.

For sale for CASH by E. F. MOORE & CO.

Sept. 9, 1858. 44-tf

NEGROES AND LAND FOR SALE.

THE subscriber wishes to sell his HOUSE and LOT in Fayetteville, known as the "Farm House," containing about 60 acres. Also, THREE VALUABLE NEGRO MEN, Edward, Fred and Charles. Fred and Edward are excellent Spirit Barrel Coopers, —all young, sound and healthy. For terms apply to C. E. LEETE, or JOS. BAKER, Jr., Att'y for John Eccles.

Aug. 18. 38-tf

Clothing! Clothing!!

H. GRAHAM

Is now receiving a fine Stock of

Ready-made Clothing

To suit the Fall and Winter, OF THE LATEST STYLES.

He would solicit his customers and friends to give him a call, as he offers his Clothing Low FOR CASH, or on reasonable terms to prompt paying customers.

☞ GARMENTS CUT IN THE LATEST FASHION. ☜

He may be found East jam on Market Square.

Oct. 9. 53-3m

Notice to Soldiers' Widows.

THE Widows of Mexican Soldiers, and the Widows of Soldiers who DIED IN SERVICE in the war of 1812, can have their pensions continued by calling on the undersigned, Congress having made additional provision for them.

Give me the management of your claims, and the money shall come at once, or no charge.

JNO. M. ROSE,
Agt. for Pensions.

Fayetteville, June 12, 1858. 19-

HOUSE, LOT, AND NEGRO.

THE undersigned wishing to close up their old business, offer for sale the HOUSE and LOT on Haymount, formerly occupied by Major Gilmore. Also, a NEGRO BOY 14 years of age; having tried him for the last five months, we can recommend him as an excellent servant, both for house or out of doors, sold for no fault, but to close old business.

F. N. & J. H. ROBERTS.

May 3, 1858. 7-tf

OLD BILLS.

ALL persons indebted to the concern of FRANK & JERRY and J. H. ROBERTS & CO., are requested to come forward and settle their bills. If not settled by the last of this month, they will find them in the hands of a Lawful Collector.

J. H. ROBERTS & CO.

May 3, 1858. 7-tf

T. A. E. BOHNSTEDT, *Agent for Chickering's Pianos,*

Of which he has always some on hand.

Wilmington, N. C., Oct'r 2, 1858. 51-1ypd

Dominion

The Old *Coffee Pot.*

DR. HALL, of New York, in his *Journal of Health* for July, 1858, says:—"We commend the *Old Dominion Coffee Pot* to all lovers of good coffee, as we personally know that it is one of the "new things" offered to the public in which no imposition is practiced, and which has the double vouchers of science and common sense."

A SUPPLY JUST RECEIVED, of 1½ Quarts at 1 75; 2 Quarts at 2 00; 3 Quarts at 2 35 and 4 Quarts at 2 75, at the "Crockery Store."

W. N. TILLINGHAST.

Oct. 19 56tf

New Dry Goods.

W. MACINTYRE

Has received—

Cloths, Cassimeres, Sattinets, Tweeds, Kent'ky Jeans;
Kerseys, Linseys, Flannels, Blankets;
Muslin-de-Lains, Alpacas, Calicoes, Ginghams;
Brilliantes, Silk Velvets, Silk Robes, Jaconets;
Muslins, Ribbons, Laces, Muslin Edgings, Insertings;
Embroidered Sleeves, Collars, Gloves, Mitts, Gauntlets, Hosiery;
Elastic Enameled Ribbon Belts;
Table Damask, Napkins, Toweling;
Irish Linen, Shirting, Sheeting,
Counterpanes, Bed Tick;
Cloaks, Mantillas, Shawls;
Merino Skirts, J. & P. Coats' Spool Cotton;
Bonnets, Col'd Flats, Ruches, Artificials;
Extension Skirts, Skirt Cord, Rattan, Whalebone;
Ready-Made Clothing, Hats, Caps;
Gaiters, Boots, Shoes;
Cotton Seine Twine, Gilling Nets;
Cotton Cards, French Baskets, Enamled Satchels;
Fancy Zephyr Hoods.

Oct. 25, 1858. 57tf

COUPON BONDS FOR SALE.

THE Western Rail Road Co. have for sale in amounts to suit purchasers,

$20,000 of the Coupon Bonds of the County of Cumberland, bearing 7 per cent. interest, payable semi-annually on the 1st June and the 1st of December, and running 20 years.

$90,000 of the Coupon Bonds of the Town of Fayetteville, bearing 6 per cent interest, payable semi-annually on the 1st January and the 1st of July, and running 20 years.

These bonds were issued in accordance with law to the Western Rail Road Co., to pay the County and Town subscriptions respectively.

Persons having money will find these bonds (at the price the Co. is selling them) a better investment than any Bank Stock in the State.

For terms apply to C. B. MALLETT, Esq., Pres't or to JNO. M. ROSE, Treas'r Western R. R. Co.

Fayetteville, Feb'y 26, 1858. 89tf

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA. ROBESON COUNTY.

In Equity, at Fall Term, 1858.

Sally Gilchrist, Duncan J. Gilchrist and wife Mary M and William John, Duncan James and Neill Archibald McLaughlin who are Minors, by Daniel W McLean, Guardian, against John Archibald McLaughlin, Charles Haigwood and wife Mary and A Godwin and wife Sally.

Petition for the sale of Real Estate.

IT appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that said Defendants, John Archibald McLaughlin, Charles Haigwood and wife Mary and A. Godwin and wife Sally, are non-residents of this State, in pursuance of the order made herein, the said Defendants are hereby notified to appear at the next Term of the Court of Equity to be held for the County of Robeson aforesaid at the Court House in Lumberton on the 4th Monday of March next and plead, answer or demur to said Petition, otherwise the same will be taken pro confesso as to them and heard ex parte.

53*6t] R. S. FRENCH, C. & M. E.

Price of advertising 4 20.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, ROBESON COUNTY.

In Equity, to Fall Term, 1858

Duncan McKay, Jane McPhaul, William A. Sellers, McKay Sellers, Harriet Sellers, Mary Ann McLean, and Hector McMillan and wife Margaret, against Alexander McKay, and the Heirs-at law of John and Mary McPhaul, and the Heirs-at-law of William and Margaret Watson.

IT appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that said Alexander McKay and the Heirs-at-law of said John and Mary McPhaul, and of said William and Margaret Watson, whose names are unknown, are non-residents of this State, in pursuance of the order made herein, the said defendants are hereby notified to appear at the next term of the Court of Equity to be held for the County of Robeson aforesaid at the Court House in Lumberton, on the 4th Monday in March next, and plead, answer or demur to said petition, otherwise the same will be taken pro confesso, and heard ex parte.

53*6t] R. S. FRENCH, C. & M. E.

Price of advertising 4 20.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, CUMBERLAND COUNTY.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions.

Henry S. Stewart vs. Alexander B. Walker.

Original Attachment and Levy on 286 Acres of Land. Conditional Judgment. September Term, 1858.

IT appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the Defendant, A. B. Walker, resides beyond the limits of this State: It is Ordered, that publication be made for six weeks in the Fayetteville Observer, for the said A. B. Walker to be and appear at our next Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, to be held for the County of Cumberland, at the Court House in Fayetteville, on the first Monday in December next, 1858, and then and there plead or replevy, or the conditional judgment will be made absolute, and the land levied on condemned to satisfy the Plaintiff's claim.

Witness, Jesse T. Warden, Clerk of our said Court, at Office, the first Monday in September, A. D. 1858.

57*6t] J. T. WARDEN, Clerk.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, CUMBERLAND COUNTY.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions.

Edwin Glover vs. Alexander B. Walker.

Warrant and Levy on 286 Acres of Land. Conditional Judgment. September Term, 1858.

IT appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the Defendant, A. B. Walker, resides beyond the limits of this State: It is Ordered, that publication be made for six weeks in the Fayetteville Observer, for the said A. B. Walker to be and appear at our next Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, to be held for the County of Cumberland, at the Court House in Fayetteville, on the first Monday in December next, 1858, and then and there plead or replevy, or the conditional judgment will be made absolute, and the land levied on condemned to satisfy the Plaintiff's claim.

Witness, Jesse T. Warden, Clerk of our said Court, at Office, the first Monday in September, A. D. 1858

57*6t] J. T. WARDEN, Clerk.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, CUMBERLAND COUNTY.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions.

Angus Ray vs. Alexander B. Walker.

Original Attachment and Levy on 286 Acres of Land. Conditional Judgment. September Term, 1858.

IT appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the Defendant, A. B. Walker, resides beyond the limits of this State: It is Ordered, that publication be made for six weeks in the Fayetteville Observer, for the said A. B. Walker to be and appear at our next Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, to be held for the County of Cumberland, at the Court House in Fayetteville, on the first Monday in December next, 1858, and then and there plead or replevy, or the conditional judgment will be made absolute, and the land levied on condemned to satisfy the Plaintiff's claim.

Witness, Jesse T. Warden, Clerk of our said Court, at Office, the first Monday in September, A. D. 1858.

57*6t] J. T. WARDEN, Clerk.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, CUMBERLAND COUNTY.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions.

Charles D. Nixon vs. Alexander B. Walker.

Original Attachment and Levy on 286 Acres of Land. Conditional Judgment. September Term, 1858.

IT appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the Defendant, A. B. Walker, resides beyond the limits of this State: It is Ordered, that publication be made for six weeks in the Fayetteville Observer, for the said A. B. Walker to be and appear at our next Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, to be held for the County of Cumberland, at the Court House in Fayetteville, on the first Monday in December next, 1858, and then and there plead or replevy, or the conditional judgment will be made absolute, and the land levied on condemned to satisfy the Plaintiff's claim.

Witness, Jesse T. Warden, Clerk of our said Court, at Office, the first Monday in September, A. D. 1858.

57*6t] J. T. WARDEN, Clerk.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, CUMBERLAND COUNTY.

In Equity, at Fall Term, 1858.

Margaret Ann V. Little, Mary C. Little, Eliza J. Little, Minors, by their next friend, Daniel Little, and Daniel Little, against Archibald Buie, Duncan Brown and wife Sally Ann, Malcom Buie, Daniel McP Buie, Flora Buie, Neill Buie, John Buie, Neill McNeill and wife Annabella, Effie Buie and Neill Mc